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SUMMARY.

At the Colonial Conference Lord Tweedmouth said the Admiralty would agree to any conditions that the colonies desired.

He hinted that in future there would be a greater concentration of ships in Australian waters.

Mr. Deakin moved that British emigrants should be encouraged to come to British rather than foreign countries.

The motion, which was carried unanimously, also affirmed that the Imperial Department should co-operate with the colonies in emigration.

Sir Joseph Ward moved that naturalisation throughout the Empire should be uniform, and should be Imperial, wherever granted.

Dr. Jameson also submitted a motion dealing with naturalisation. The debate was adjourned.

General Botha says the report that he desired to organise the burghers into battalions is ridiculous.

He adds: "It is no longer a question of Dutch and English. We are one people with one ambition."

In the House of Commons Socialists attacked the Government for remitting taxes benefiting the middle classes, and doing little for old-age pensions.

An enthusiastic demonstration organised by the Tariff Reform League was held in the Albert Hall.

Mr. J. Chamberlain wrote: "Great Britain must not stand aloof from the world-wide movement of our race."

Mr. A. Chamberlain said that the reformers would make the utterances of the Colonial Premiers the starting point of a new campaign.

A number of skilled men from Woolwich Arsenal have been engaged at high wages for the German Arsenal at Ems.

A reactionary, M. Akimoff, has been appointed President of the Council of the Russian Empire.

Four revolutionaries killed the Governor of the political prison at Odessa in revenge for his ill-treatment of rebels.

One of the assailants was captured, another committed suicide, and the others escaped.

No trace has been found of Mr. Hugh M'Ilrath since his disappearance in China last year.

His brother (Mr. Martin M'Ilrath, who is in China seeking him) expresses grave fears that his labour will be in vain.

A deputation representing the public meeting held in the Town Hall in regard to Observatory Hill waited on the Premier yesterday.

Mr. Carruthers said that if the Dawes Point site was acceptable to the people for a mint he would have the matter settled by its selection.

Mr. Carruthers said that the Federal authorities refused to give up Goat Island as a reserve for the people.

He wanted Goat Island as a resting place for bridges—one from Balmain to Goat Island and thence to North Sydney.

Sir John Forrest says that the Federal Parliament will reassemble during the first week in July.

The Postmaster-General says that the claims of Queensland in connection with the Vancouver mail service will be fully considered.

The police are furnishing escorts for non-unionists who have taken the places of the coal-lumpers on strike.

Police are also on duty at vessels where coaling is proceeding.

The wrecked steamer Willyama, which with her cargo was originally valued at £26,200, has been sold for £260.

A diver whilst examining the sunken barque Norma at Adelaide discovered the body of P. Johnson, the missing carpenter.

The steamer Inveran, which was stranded at Wellington (N.Z.), has been refloated.

The Rev. J. C. Kirby was elected last night President of the Congregational Union of Australasia.

The recount of votes at the Echuca election gave Mr. Kennedy 7602 votes and Mr. Palmer 7573.

There are, however, 312 votes to be referred to the Court of Disputed Returns.

One hundred and eighty candidates were nominated for 72 Parliamentary seats in Queensland yesterday.

The list includes 64 Oppositionists, 56 Ministerialists, and 47 Labour candidates.

Captain Whitford, a resident of the New Hebrides for 22 years, says that the French have a free hand in landing liquor and firearms there.

The result is that the French are securing the great bulk of the trade, the British being hopelessly handicapped.

The British settlers are extremely indignant at the prohibitive taxation imposed on their products by the Commonwealth.

The Newcastle Chamber of Commerce yesterday urged the Railway Commissioners to treat Newcastle as the terminal port of the north and north-west.

Mr. Johnson said that in most countries one place above all others was a central market for certain commodities.

Sydney was the central market for wool and wheat, and nothing the Commissioners could do would alter that fact.

The Arbitration Court gave its award in the Portland Cement Company's employees.

The Court fixed the minimum wage at 6s 8d for all ordinary labourers, and hoped that a higher rate would be given in some cases.

The Newcastle Wharf Labourers' Union made two applications for penalties against employers for giving preference to non-unionists.

The applications were dismissed; but the Court intimated that it would prevent distressed sailors working at starvation wages if such conditions prevailed.

At the trial of W. P. Crick and W. N. Willis yesterday H. C. Webster, formerly manager of the A.J.S. Bank head office, was further examined.

He stated that he took a memorandum of the notes given in exchange for Dent's cheque. Six of them came back within three days as a deposit.

The witness explained that the evidence he gave before the Lands Commission was correct, except in so far as it should have applied to Dent's cheque instead of Taylor's.

Mr. Briner, M.L.A., says that whatever his attitude towards the Government may be, he would not associate himself with an alliance with the Labour party.

The 137th anniversary of the landing of Captain Cook in Australia will be celebrated to-day.

The second term of the Supreme Court will commence on Monday.

The Sydney Labour Council held a meeting on Thursday to take action to prevent the overworking of cab horses.

The delegate of the Cab-drivers' Union said that some horses had been kept continually in harness for three days.

At a meeting of the Federal Executive, the retiring age for non-commissioned officers was made uniform throughout the Commonwealth.

In giving a decision on a matter in Cranston v Carpenter in Chambers yesterday, the Chief Justice made some strong comments.

He said that it was a case (a money-lending transaction) of gross oppression, and he was in doubt whether he should not bring it before the Full Court.

In a lecture at Cumnock, Mr. W. Black said there was no justification for the clamour for increased holdings in the State.

He attributed the clamour partly to the bad methods of farming which are adopted.

For six blocks of vacant land near the Myall Creek closer settlement area 122 persons have lodged 447 applications.

It is reported that although 100,000 rats are destroyed every year in Sydney their numbers do not seem to diminish.

A company has been floated with a nominal capital of £500,000 to develop gold and copper mines near Rockhampton.

The position in the Stock and Share market yesterday was steady. The mining department was a little better.

The London wheat market is very strong. The sale of 1,500,000 bushels was reported yesterday.

The London butter market was dull. 7000 boxes shipped by the Orotava were very badly tainted.

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NEWCASTLE RACES.

CUP MEETING.

TO-DAY, SATURDAY.

A FAST SPECIAL TRAIN will leave Sydney for Newcastle at 7.40 a.m., calling at Strathfield, Hornsby, Gosford, and Wyong, arriving Newcastle at 11.7 a.m.; returning from Newcastle at 6.0 p.m., calling at the same stations to set down, and be due Sydney at 9.20 p.m.

FARES:—The Tickets at 2d per mile first-class return, and 1d per mile second-class return, issued at Sydney and Metropolitan Suburban Stations on Saturdays, will be available by the above Special Train.

RETURN FARES from Sydney: 17s 4d 1st-class, 9s 8d second-class.

ROSEHILL RACES.

TO-DAY (SATURDAY).

SPECIAL TRAINS will leave Sydney for ROSEHILL RACECOURSE as under:—

11.40 a.m.—Horses.
12.22 p.m.—1st and 2nd class (stops at Strathfield).
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1.2 p.m.—1st class (stops at Strathfield).
1.8 p.m.—1st and 2nd class.
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1.42 p.m.—1st and 2nd class (stops at Strathfield).

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Ordinary and Season Tickets will not be available by Special Trains.

CHEAP COMBINED RAIL AND RIVER EXCURSIONS.

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TO THE HAWKESBURY RIVER.
IN CONNECTION WITH THE STEAMER GENERAL GORDON.
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Train will leave Sydney at 9.5 a.m.; from Milson's Point at 8.50 a.m. The river trip will occupy about five hours.

Return Fares from Sydney and Suburban Stations:—5s 6d First-class; 3s 6d Second-class.

Refreshments can be obtained on board the steamer at reasonable rates.

TO PARKESVALE (on George's River).
TO-DAY, AND WEDNESDAY NEXT.

Train will leave Sydney at 2.10 p.m., calling at all stations; 24 miles by rail and 16 by steamer.

RETURN FARES FROM SYDNEY (including steamer trip):—First-class, 2s 3d; Second-class, 1s 6d.

Refreshments can be obtained on the ground at city prices.

An additional Excursion will be made to Parkesvale on WEDNESDAY, MAY 1, by 2.10 p.m. train from Sydney, after which date Excursions to Parkesvale will be discontinued.

COMBINED TRIPS TO HAWKESBURY AND NEWPORT, RETURNING VIA MANLY, AND VICE VERSA.
TO-DAY (SATURDAY).

Cheap Tickets, at 8s 6d First-class, will be issued at Central and Sydney Booking Offices, also at Strathfield and Milson's Point Stations, to include journey by rail to Hawkesbury, thence to Newport by steamer, from Newport to Manly by coach, and from Manly to Sydney by ferry.

Passengers will travel by the 9.5 a.m. train from Sydney, and 8.50 a.m. train from Milson's Point.

Similar Tickets will be issued at the Manly Ferry Wharf, Circular Quay, by steamer leaving at 9.30 a.m., and passengers will make the trip in the opposite direction to those travelling from Sydney. The steamer from Newport will arrive at Hawkesbury in time to connect with the 4.16 p.m. train for Sydney. Excursionists must join the S.S. Cora at Hawkesbury Station and at Newport.

The Tickets will be available for return for one week from date of issue.

DUBBO SHOW.

WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY, MAY 1 and 2.

HOLIDAY EXCURSION TICKETS will be issued to Dubbo at Sydney, Bourke, and intermediate stations (including all Western Branch Lines, also Blayney-Harden and Grenfell Lines), commencing on MONDAY, APRIL 29, and thereafter by trains timed to arrive at Dubbo up to 10.55 a.m. on THURSDAY, MAY 2, available for return until MONDAY, MAY 6.

For full details see handbills.

By order.
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GOVERNMENT TRAMWAYS.

TIMETABLE ALTERATIONS.

COOGEE AND CLEVELAND-STREET LINES.

COMMENCING MONDAY, 29th APRIL.

On and after the above date slight alterations will be made in the departure times of trams on Coogee and Cleveland-street Lines Monday to Fridays, after 10 p.m., the Timetables will be as follows:—

COOGEE LINE.
FROM CIRCULAR QUAY.—10.6, 10.18, 10.30, 10.42, 10.54, 11.6, 11.18, 11.30 p.m. D12.0 midnight.
FROM COOGEE.—10.2, 10.14, 10.26, 10.38, 10.50, 11.5, 11.20 p.m.
CLEVELAND-STREET LINE—
FROM CENTRAL LOOP (Western Railway Gates)—10.5, 10.17, 10.29, 10.41, 10.53, 11.5, 11.20, 11.34 p.m.
FROM RANDWICK-ROAD JUNCTION.—10.12, 10.24, 10.36, 10.48, 11.0, 11.12, 11.27, 11.42, 11.49 p.m.
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CONGREGATIONAL UNION OF AUSTRALASIA. HARBOUR EXCURSION, WEDNESDAY, May 1st, to meet the Visiting Delegates. Steamer leaves Fort Macquarie at 2 p.m. Afternoon Tea at Correy's Gardens. Tickets, including tea, One Shilling. J. HENWOOD TOMS, Convener, N.S.W. Committee.

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BALMAIN II. v WATERLOO BOROUGH,
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W. G. TODD, Manager.

INDUSTRIAL ARBITRATION ACT, 1901.

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

Certain allegations having been made to me that the Industrial Union of Employees known as THE CYCLE AND MOTOR TRADE EMPLOYEES' UNION OF NEW SOUTH WALES has not carried on its affairs according to the rules as required by the above Act, inasmuch as the Union has not bona fide observed the provisions of the rules of the Union, and that no meetings of the Union have been held since the month of December, 1905, notice is hereby given that it is my intention to apply to the Court of Arbitration for the cancellation of the registration of the said Union, unless reasons are shown to me to the contrary within seven days of the date hereof.

Dated the 27th day of April, 1907.
ALLAN H. UTHER, Acting Registrar.
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We beg to notify that Mr. ERNEST WADDELL PERKINS, J.P., of Messrs. Perkins, Stevenson, and Co., Solicitors and Notaries, of No. 122 Pitt-street, has been elected to the vacant seat on the Local Board of this Office as and from the 18th April, 1907.
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NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.—NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership lately subsisting between the undersigned, Edwin Arthur Stimson and John Chalmers, trading as "Stimson and Chalmers," Military-road, Mosman, has been DISSOLVED, by mutual consent, as and from the twenty-fifth day of March last. The said John Chalmers, who takes over the lease of the late business premises, will discharge all the Liabilities of the late Firm, and will receive payment of all Debts due. Dated this 25th day of April, 1907. E. A. STIMSON. Witness to the signature of Edwin Arthur Stimson—E. Macdonald, Solicitor, Sydney. JOHN CHALMERS. Witness to the signature of John Chalmers—H. M. BALENGER, Solicitor, Sydney.

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C. H. RELPH, Motor Department, Woolwich.

THE AYLMER-LEWIS IMPROVED ACETYLENE GAS GENERATOR (PATENTED).

It having come to our knowledge that certain persons are manufacturing and disposing of a gas generator identical in design with the generator manufactured and sold under the above patent, all persons are cautioned against manufacturing, selling, or using any such generator, or otherwise infringing the rights of the Patentee.
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Agents for PERCY GORDON AYLMER.

IN THE ASSIGNED ESTATE OF EDWARD NEWTON, Grocer, Keira-street, Wollongong.

All CLAIMS against the above Estate must be rendered to me on or before FRIDAY NEXT, the 3rd May, otherwise they will not be recognised.
ALBERT BORCHARD, F.S.I.A.,
Incorporated Accountant,
Equitable-building, George-street.
Sydney, 27th April, 1907.

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STATE ELECTION.—MIDDLE HARBOUR ELECTORATE.—Intending Candidates are respectfully requested to communicate with Secretary Warringah Liberal Association on or before 7th May next.
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GEO. JACKSON, Hon. Secretary.

I, MARY THORNTON, of No. 12 Turner-street, Redfern, wish to publicly announce if the parties do not stop Slandering me after this date, I will prosecute. MARY THORNTON.

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CALLS AND DIVIDENDS ON SHARES.

THE COPPER HILL COPPER MINE, No Liability. 10 Post Office-chambers, 114A Pitt-street.
Sydney, 16th, April, 1907.
NOTICE OF CALL.
NOTICE is hereby given that the Directors have this day made a Call (the 1st) of £8 per share on all the Contributing Shares in the above Company, and is due and payable to the undersigned at the above Office, on or before WEDNESDAY, the 8th day of MAY, 1907.
By order,
H. E. A. MILLER, Manager.

GREAT SOUTH PEAK GOLD MINE COMPANY, No Liability.
NOTICE is hereby given that a Call (the 2nd) of 10s (ten shillings) per share has been made on the Contributing Shares in the above Company, and is payable to the Legal Manager, at the Company's Office, Marshall-street, Cobar, on WEDNESDAY, 8th May, 1907.
By order of the Board.
D. H. DUNLOP,
Cobar, 22nd April, 1907. Legal Manager.

THE BELMORE COPPER MINING COMPANY, No Liability.—NOTICE is hereby given that the Directors have made a Call (the Third) of One Shilling per Share on the Contributing Shares (New Issue), in the above Company, payable to me at the Company's Office (Office of REGINALD SULLIVAN, Solicitor), P.O.-chbrs., 114A Pitt-st, Sydney, on Wed., May 8, 1907. By order of the Board, H. H. Wilson, Sec. April 23.

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MEETINGS.

SYDNEY RESCUE WORK SOCIETY. ANNUAL MEETING.
Y.M.C.A. HALL, TUESDAY, 30th inst., at 8.
Sir HENRY STEPHEN will take the chair.
Speakers: Dr. R. Arthur, M.L.A., Rev. Dr. Clouston, and others.
Important Statements as to the conditions that prevail in the city.
Lantern Views of the various branches of work.
ALL INVITED. G. E. ARDILL, Director.

L.O.L. of N.S.W., 12th JULY DEMONSTRATION.—The 1907 Committee, consisting of Grand Lodge Officers and Members of G.L. Committees, will hold first meeting on MONDAY EVENING NEXT, at 8 o'clock. Full attendance requested.
A. J. S. GILCHRIST. G.S.

ST. LEONARDS ELECTORATE. A Meeting of the Members, Friends, and Supporters, of The People's Reform League of New South Wales will be held at the Masonic Hall, Walker-street, North Sydney, on Monday Next, 29th inst., 8 p.m. Address by Mr. John Stinson, President of the League.

THE SYDNEY SINGLE TAX LEAGUE.—Messrs. J. T. FISCHER, A. G. HUIE, and other speakers will address an Open-air Meeting at Newtown Bridge To-night. Come along and hear what the Georgian Policy is and how it may be applied.

SHERBROOKE ELECTORATE.
Mr. H. E. PRATTEN
will Address the Electors at Pearce's Shed, Kellyville,
TO-NIGHT, at 7.30.

SHERBROOKE.—Lt.-Col. Pringle Speaks at Turner's Store, Pennant Hills, next Wednesday, 7.30 p.m.

THE COMMERCIAL BANKING COMPANY OF SYDNEY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General MEETING of THE COMMERCIAL BANKING COMPANY OF SYDNEY, LIMITED, will be held at the Head Banking House of the Company, in George-street, Sydney, on FRIDAY, the tenth day of May, 1907, at 12 o'clock noon, when the subjoined Resolution, which was passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company, held on the nineteenth day of April, 1907, will be submitted for confirmation as a Special Resolution.

RESOLUTION.

That the Capital of the Company be increased to £2,500,000 by the creation of 20,000 additional Shares of £25 each.

That so far as the Holdings of Shares will admit, the 20,000 additional Shares shall be offered at a premium of £2 10s per Share to the Members of the Company, who shall, on the date of the confirmation of this Resolution, be registered as holding four or more Shares in the proportion of one Share to every four Shares held by them respectively, and upon the footing that the sum of £12 10s in respect of each Share, plus the premium, making together the sum of £15 per Share, shall be paid up in four instalments of £3 15s each, on the following dates:—The 29th day of June, 1907, the 30th day of September, 1907, the 31st day of December, 1907, and the 31st day of March, 1908. The balance of £12 10s remaining unpaid in respect of such Shares shall be called up only in the event of and for the purposes of the winding-up of the Company, and thereupon the same shall be paid to the persons, and at the times and places, and in the manner appointed by the Directors or other competent authority.

The offer of Shares shall be made by notice specifying the number of Shares to which the Member is entitled, and limiting a time within which such offer, if not accepted in writing, shall be deemed to be declined.

Any Shares not allotted by reason of any Members not holding four Shares or holding more Shares than will form an exact multiple of four, shall be disposed of at such times and upon such terms as the Directors shall determine, but at a premium of not less than £2 10s per Share, and the net proceeds of any surplus above such premium shall be divided proportionately amongst such Members according to the number of Shares held by them, exclusive of any Shares in respect of which an allotment has been made.

That the Directors be empowered to dispose of the Shares not taken in response to such offer as they may consider expedient in the interests of the Company, but at a premium of not less than £2 10s per Share.

That the premium to be received in respect of the 20,000 additional Shares, after making provision for the foregoing proportionate division, shall be applied by the Directors to augment the Reserve Fund.

That any Member accepting Shares in response to the abovementioned offer, shall have the option of paying one or more of the instalments in advance, provided that such payment shall be made in respect of the whole of his allotment, and on one of the days hereinbefore fixed for the payment of instalments.

That dividends on Shares accepted in response to the abovementioned offer shall accrue as from the 30th day of June, 1907, and shall be payable in proportion to the amount which at the time of the declaration of any dividend shall have been paid up on such Shares, taking into account the dates of the payments of the instalments.

Dated the 19th day of April, 1907.
By order of the Board.
T. A. DIBBS, General Manager.

THE ILLAWARRA AND SOUTH COAST STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Half-yearly General MEETING of the Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the Company's Offices, No. 11 Wharf-street, Market Wharf, Sydney, on TUESDAY, the 30th day of April, 1907, at 12 o'clock noon.

To receive the report of the Directors for the Half-year ended March 31st, 1907.

To elect two Directors in the place of WILLIAM RIGG and EDMUND BIDDULPH HENNING, Esquires, who retire in terms of the Articles of Association, but are eligible for re-election.

To elect two Auditors in the place of WILLIAM CLARK, F.C.A.A., and THOMAS TURNER, Esquires, who retire in accordance with the Articles of Association, but are eligible for re-election.

And to transact such other business as may be brought before the meeting in accordance with the Articles of Association.

By order of the Board.
T. H. JACKSON, Manager.
No. 11 Wharf-street, Market Wharf,
Sydney, April 27th, 1907.

THE ILLAWARRA AND SOUTH COAST STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

ELECTION OF DIRECTORS.

WILLIAM RIGG and E. B. HENNING, Esquires, have given notice that they are Candidates for re-election as Directors of this Company, at the Half-yearly General Meeting convened for the 30th instant.
By order of the Board.
T. H. JACKSON, Manager.
No. 11 Wharf-street, Market Wharf,
Sydney, April 27th, 1907.

NOTICE.

THE AUSTRALIAN BREWERY AND WINE AND SPIRIT COMPANY, LIMITED, in Liquidation.
NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of the provisions of the Companies Act of 1899, Section 138, a General MEETING of the Shareholders in the above Company will be held at the Royal Exchange, Sydney, on WEDNESDAY, the fifteenth day of May, 1907, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, to receive the report of the Liquidators for the preceding twelve months. And also to receive the Account showing their acts and dealings and the manner in which the winding-up has been conducted during the preceding year, and to adopt sanction and ratify the same. Dated at Sydney this twenty-third day of April, 1907.
SAMUEL CORNWELL, W. C. R. TILEY, } Liquidators.

THE CITY MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, Limited.
HEAD OFFICE: 95 Pitt-street, Sydney.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Annual General MEETING of Shareholders of this Company will be held at the Company's Offices, No. 95 Pitt-street, Sydney, on FRIDAY, 3rd May proximo, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

To receive the report of the Directors and Balance-sheet to 31st December, 1906; to elect an Auditor in the place of A. W. Relph, Esq., A.S.I.A., who is eligible for re-election, and offers himself therefor; and to transact any other business which may be brought before the Meeting in accordance with the Articles of Association.
By order of the Board.
ROBERT KERR, Manager.
Dated this 25th day of April, 1907.
95 Pitt-street, Sydney.

COPE'S CREEK DREDGING COMPANY, NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE is hereby given that the FOURTEENTH HALF-YEARLY GENERAL MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS of this Company will be held at the Company's Offices, 100 Pitt-street, Sydney, on WEDNESDAY, the 8th May, 1907, at 12 o'clock noon.

BUSINESS:

To receive the Directors' Report and Balance-sheet for the six months ending 31st March, 1907.

To elect a Director in lieu of Mr. W. T. Charley, who retires, but is eligible for re-election.

To appoint an Auditor in the place of Mr. W. Tarleton, who retires, but is eligible for reappointment, and to fix the Auditor's remuneration.

And to transact any other business that may be brought before the Meeting, in terms of the Rules of the Company.
By order of the Board,
R. VERNON SADDINGTON, Manager.

TOOTH AND CO., LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Thirty-eighth HALF-YEARLY GENERAL MEETING of Shareholders will be held at the Kent Brewery, George-street West, on MONDAY, 29th April, 1907, at 2.30 p.m.

Business:

To receive Report and Balance-sheet for the half-year ended 31st March, 1907, and the consideration of any other business that may be brought forward in conformity with the Articles of Association.
F. L. PARTRIDGE, Manager.
15th April, 1907.

EQUITABLE PERMANENT B. BUILDING, LAND, AND SAVINGS' INSTITUTION.

The Thirty-third ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of Members will be held in the Mercantile Mutual-chambers, 115 Pitt-street, Sydney, at 12 o'clock noon on WEDNESDAY, the 15th day of MAY, 1907, to Receive the Directors' Report and Balance-sheet for the year ended the 31st March, 1907, and to Elect Two Directors and One Auditor. Candidates for office must give seven days' notice in writing to the Manager clear of the day of meeting.
WILLIAM CHADWICK, Manager.

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IF EMILY COLLINS, Wife of George Collins, of Beaconsfield, lately heard of at Palmer-street, Woolloomooloo, Sydney, will communicate with N. H. SONENBERG, Solicitor, of 450 Chancery-lane, Melbourne, she will hear of something to her advantage.

BUSINESS Gent., 37, widower, with means, would like to correspond with Lady with means, references exchanged, view to matrimony.
E. W. H., Herald Office.

RYAN, WILLIAM, age abt. 60, second son late John and Bridget Ryan, late McLaughlin-place, Padd., or anyone know. whereabts., or of death, communicate E. C. HUGHES, 74 Oxford-st, Padd., Sydney. Reward.

SYDNEY MUNICIPAL COUNCIL.

Information desired by the undersigned regarding the whereabouts of the following persons:—

KISSACK, WILLIAM H., about 48 years of age, eldest son of the late John Kissack, of Douglas, Isle of Man.

LARMOUR, WILLIAM, native of Eden, Carrickfergus, Co. Antrim, Ireland. Came to Sydney more than 20 years ago. At one time had an office at 90A Pitt-street, city.

DONOVAN, Mr. and Mrs., parents of youth named John Donovan, who was lately aboard steamer Bertha, of Alaska, U.S.A.

KAVANAGH, or CAVANAGH, THOMAS, follows trade of Carpenter. When last heard from by relatives in Canada (27 years ago) was resident in Sydney.

THOMAS H. NESBITT, Town Clerk.
Town Hall, Sydney,
27th April, 1907.

TWO ladies would meet two gentlemen, 30 to 35, fair pos., view matrimony, R.C. pref. R.C., G.P.O.

TRADESMAN, 40, widower, means, correspond Lady, cheerful, view matrimony. Confidence, Herald.

TRAM ACCIDENT.—Will Gentleman who assisted an elderly Woman into Glebe tram, Bathurst-street stopping, 5 p.m., Feb. 8 last, and anyone witnessing same, com. with R. Roxburgh, Solicitor, 18 Bridge-st.

WILL Miss MAGGIE DENNIS please call Crescent Coffee Palace. Important letter. J. Elgin.

WANTED, PHILLIP TURNER, heard from 12 months ago, was then at Miandetta, then going to Barren Mount. Anyone knowing his whereabouts kindly inform his father, T. TURNER, 1 Gerald-st, Marrickville.

FRAULEIN SCHMIDT AND MR. ANSTRUTHER.

BEING THE LETTERS OF AN INDEPENDENT WOMAN.

By the author of "Elizabeth and her German Garden."

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LXII.—Continued.

"I say," said Joey, coming into the kitchen just now.

"Well, what?" said I.

"I'm going to Berlin for a day."

"Are you indeed?"

"Tell the old man, will you?"

"Tell the who?"

"The old man. I shan't be here for the lesson to-morrow, thank the Lord. I'm off by the first train."

"Indeed," said I.

There was a silence, during which Joey fidgeted about among the culinary objects scattered around him. I went on peeling apples. When he had fidgeted as much as he wanted to he lit a cigarette.

"No," said I. "Not in kitchens. A highly improper thing to do."

He threw it into the dustbin. "I say," he said again.

"Well, what?" said I again.

"What do you think—what do you think—"

He paused. I waited. As he didn't go on I thought he had done. "What do I think?" I said. "You'd be staggered if I told you, it's such a lot, and it's so terrific."

"What do you think," repeated Joey, taking no heed of me, but with his hands in his pockets, kicking a fallen apple aimlessly about on the floor, "what do you think the little girl'd like for Christmas and that, don't you know?"

I stopped peeling, and gazed at him, knife and apple suspended in mid-air. "The little girl?" I inquired. "Do you mean Johanna?"

Joey stared. Then he grinned at me monstrously. "You bet," was his cryptic reply.

"What am I to bet?" I asked patiently.

Joey gave the fallen apple a kick. Looking down I observed that it was the biggest and the best, and stooped to rescue it. "It's not pretty," said I, rebuking him, "to kick even an apple when it's down."

"Oh I say," said Joey impatiently, "do be sensible. There never was any gettin' much sense out of you I remember. And you're only pretending. You know I mean Vicki."

"Vicki?"

He had the grace to blush. "Well, Fraulein What's her name. You can't expect anyone decent to get the hang of these names of yours. They ain't got any hang, so how's one to get it? What'd she like for Christmas? Don't you all kick up a mighty fuss here over Christmas? Trees, and presents, and that? Plummier plum-puddings than we have, and mincier mince-pies, what?"

"If you think you will get even one plum-pudding or mince-pie," said I, thoughtfully peeling, "you are gravely mistaken. The national dish is carp boiled in beer."

Joey looked really revolted. "What?" he cried, not liking to credit his senses.

"Carp boiled in beer," I repeated distinctly. "It is what I'm going to give you on Christmas Day."

"No, you're not," he said hastily.

"Yes, I am," I insisted. "And before it and after it you will be required, in accordance with German custom, to sing chorales."

"I'd like to see myself doin' it. You'll have to sing 'em alone. I'm invited to feed down there."

And he jerked his head towards that portion of the kitchen wall beyond which, if you passed through it and the intervening coal-hole and garden and orchard, you would come to the dwelling of the Lindebergs.

"Oh," said I; and looked at him thoughtfully.

"Yes," said he, trying to meet my look with an equal calm, but conspicuously failing. "That bein' so," he went on, hurriedly, "and my droppin', so to speak, into the middle of somebody's Christmas tree and that, it seems to me only decent to give the little girl somethin'. What shall I get her? Somethin' to put on, I suppose. A brooch, or a pin, what?"

"Or a ring," said I, thoughtfully peeling.

"A ring? What, can one—oh, I say, don't let's waste time rottin'——"

And glancing up through cautious eyelashes I saw he was very red.

"It'd be easy enough if it was you," he said, revengefully.

"What would?"

"Hittin' on what you'd like."

"Would it?"

"All you'd want to do the trick would be a dictionary."

"Now, Mr. Collins, that's unkind," said I, laying down my knife.

He began to grin again. "It's true," he insisted.

"It suggests such an immeasurable stuffiness," I complained.

"It ain't my fault," said he, grinning.

"But perhaps I deserve it because I mentioned a ring. Let me tell you, as man to man, that you must buy no brooches for Vicki."

"A pin, then?"

"No pins."

"A necklace, then?"

"Nothing of the sort. What would her parents say? Give her chocolates, a bunch of roses, perhaps a book—but nothing more. If you do you'll get into a nice scrape."

Joey looked at me. "What sort of a scrape?" he asked, curiously.

"Gracious heavens, don't you see? Are you such a supreme goose? My poor young man, the parents would immediately ask you your intentions."

"Oh, would they," said Joey, in his turn becoming thoughtful; and after a moment he said again, "Oh, would they."

"It's as certain as anything I know," said I.

"Oh, is it," said Joey, still thoughtful.

"It's a catastrophe young men very properly dread," said I.

"Oh, do they," said Joey, sunk in thought.

"Well, if you're not listening——" And I shrugged my shoulders, and went on with my peeling.

He pulled his cap out of the pocket into which it had been stuffed, and began to put it on, tugging it first over one ear and then over the other in a deep abstraction.

"You're in my kitchen," I observed.

"Sorry," he said, snatching it off. "I forgot. You always make me feel as if I were out of doors."

"How very odd."

"Ain't it. East wind, you know—decidedly breezy, not to say nippin'. Well, I must be goin'."

"What, just as you're getting interesting?"

"I don't know about interestin'," said Joey; and departed with a nod.

But he put in his head again the next moment. "I say, Miss Schmidt——"

"Well, what?"

"You think I ought to stick to chocolates, then?"

"If you don't there'll be extraordinary complications," said I.

"You're sure of that?"

"Positive."

"You'd swear it?"

I threw down my knife and apple. "Now, what's the matter with the boy?" I exclaimed, impatiently. "Do I ever swear?"

"But if you did you would?"

"Swear what?"

"That a bit of jewellery would bring the complications about?"

"Oh—dense, dense, dense! Of course it would. You'd be surprised at the number and size of them. You can't be too careful. If I were you I'd give her a hymn-book."

Joey gave a loud whoop.

"Well, it's safe," said I, severely, "and it appeals to parents."

"You bet," said Joey, screwing his face into a limitlessly audacious wink.

"I wish," said I, very plaintively, "that I knew exactly what it is I am to get. You constantly tell me to do so, but never add the necessary directions."

"Oh, I'm goin'," was Joey's irrelevant reply; and his head popped out as suddenly as it had popped in.

Or shall I tell you—I am anxious to make this letter long enough to please you—about Frau von Lindeberg, who spent two days elaborately cutting Joey, the two first days of his appearance in their house as lodger persuaded, I suppose, that no one even remotely and by business connected with the Schmidts could be anything but undesirable, and how, meeting him in the passage, or on his way through the garden to us, the iciest stare was all she felt justified in giving him in return for his friendly grin; and how, on the third day, she suddenly melted, and stopped and spoke pleasantly to the poor solitary, commiserating with his situation as a stranger in a foreign country, and suggesting the alleviation to his loneliness of frequent visits to them? No one knows the first cause of this melting. I think she must have heard through her servant of the number and texture of those pink and blue silk handkerchiefs, of his amazing piles of new and costly shirts, of the obvious solidity of the silver on everything of his that has a back or a stopper or a handle or a knob. Anyhow, on that third morning she came up and called on us, asking for Papa. "I particularly wished," she said to me, spreading herself out as she did the last time on the sofa, "to see your good father on a matter of some importance."

"I'll go and call him," said I, concealing my conviction that though I might call he would not come.

And he would not. "What, interrupt my work?" he cried. "Is the woman mad?"

I went back and made excuses. They were very lame ones, and Frau von Lindeberg instantly brushed them aside. "I will go to him," she said, getting up. "Your excellent father will not refuse me, I am sure."

Papa was sitting in his slippers before the stove, doing nothing, so far as I could see, except very comfortably reading the new book about Goethe.

"I am sorry to disturb so busy a man," said Frau von Lindeberg, bearing down with smiles on this picture of peace.

Papa sprang up, and seeing there was no escape, pretended to be quite pleased to see her. He offered her his chair, he prayed for indulgence towards his slippers, and sitting down facing her inquired in what way he could be of service.

"I want to know something about the young Englishman who occupies a room in our house," said Frau von Lindeberg, without losing time. "You understand that it is not only natural but incumbent on a parent to wish for information in regard to a person dwelling under the same roof."

"I can give every information," said Papa, readily. "His name in English is Collins. In German it is Esel."

"Oh, really," said Frau von Lindeberg, taken aback.

"It is, madam," said Papa, looking very pleasant, as became a man in his own house confronted by a female visitor. "We have rechristened him. And no array of words with which I am acquainted will express the exactness of his resemblance to that useful but unintelligent beast."

"Oh, really," said Frau von Lindeberg, not yet recovered.

"The ass, madam, is conspicuous for the narrowness of its understanding. So is Mr. Collins. The ass is exasperating to persons of normal brains. So is Mr. Collins. The ass is lazy in regard to work, and obstinate. So is Mr. Collins. The ass is totally indifferent to study. So is Mr. Collins. The ass has never heard of Goethe. Neither has Mr. Collins. The ass is useful to the poor. So is Mr. Collins. The ass, indeed, is the poor man's most precious possession. So, emphatically, is Mr. Collins."

"Oh, really," said Frau von Lindeberg, again.

"Is there anything more you wish to know?" Papa inquired, politely, for she seemed unable immediately to go on.

She cleared her throat. "In what way—is what way is he useful?" she asked.

"Madam, he pays."

"Yes—of course, of course. You cannot——" she smiled—"be expected to teach him German for nothing."

"Far from doing that, I teach him German for a great deal."

(To be continued.)

DRAUGHTS.

All communications for this department should be addressed to the Editor "Sydney Morning Herald," Pitt-street, Sydney.

TO CORRESPONDENTS.

H.E., Prahan, Victoria.—I am pleased to say your play was sound. Thanks for favours.

"Moira."—Your solution of 1001 was correct.

J.G.D. (Waverley).—Yours of 999 and 1000 were correct.

J.D.—For items, thanks.

J. Hedges (Glebe).—Give your play for a draw, then let the joint authors show a win against it if they can. 994 will be given again, and the way to win shown later on.

J. Wilson, C.T., and J. Boyd's solutions are correct.

SOLUTIONS.

PROBLEM NO. 1003.
By R. Brodie, Redfern.
Black men.—6, 7, 10, 18; Kings, 12, 17.
White men.—15, 26, 27; Kings, 19, 20, 32.
White to play, and win.

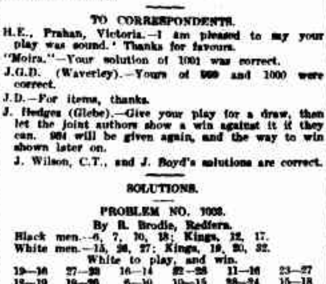
19—16	27—23	16—14	22—28	11—16	23—27
12—19	19—26	6—10	10—15	28—24	15—18
26—22	20—16	14—18	18—23	16—20	27—32
a18—25	10—19	7—11	and White wins		

(a) If 17—26, 27—23, 18—27 32—16, 10—19, 16—20, wins.

PROBLEM NO. 1004.
An end game, by W. M. Mills.
Black men—4, 8, 12; Kings, 22, 23.
Whitemen.—6, 16, 19, 28; King on 10.
White to play, and draw.

19—15 12—19 28—24 19—28 15—11
Drawn.

PROBLEM No. 1005.
By E. E. Cresswell (Nottingham).
White.



Black.
Black to play and win.

PROBLEM No. 1006.
An End Game, by F. Hilliker (N.Z.).
Black men—11, 21; Kings, 13, 27.
White—Kings, 10, 18, 19.
Black to play and win.

GAME No. 1070.—SWITCHER.

The following games were played between Messrs. Eugene and Drury in the final of the knock-out tourney at the C.D.C., 395 Pitt-street.

Mr. Eugene moved—

11—15	25—21	2—7	18—14	26—22	22—12
21—17	15—18	26—23	15—18	3—8	10—17
8—11	22—15	a11—15	27—23	20—16	b19—3
17—13	11—18	28—24	18—27	6—9	12—28
4—8	29—25	8—11	32—23	13—6	21—14
23—19	7—11	31—26	11—15	9—11	1—17
9—14	24—20	14—17	and Drury won.		

(a) In a try-off the following was played:—

10—15	6—15	15—19	5—9	1—26	11—18
19—10	28—24	24—15	13—6	31—15	Drawn.

(b) Var.

21—14	19—3	23—18	26—22	30—23	18—9
1—17	11—27	27—31	17—26	31—26	

etc., drawn.

GAME No. 1071.—SINGLE CORNER.

Mr. Drury moved—

11—15	8—12	28—24	20—27	18—15	26—31
22—18	19—16	6—10	30—23	9—14	19—16
15—22	12—19	23—19	11—16	15—11	31—27
25—18	23—16	13—17	31—24	14—17	23—19
12—16	4—8	21—14	16—20	11—8	27—24
29—25	16—12	10—26	23—19	17—22	19—15
9—13	8—11	19—10	20—27	8—4	24—20
26—22	26—23	7—23	32—23	22—26	16—11
16—20	10—15	27—18	5—9	4—8	20—16
24—19	Drury won.				

GAME No. 1072.—SWITCHER.

Mr. Eugene moved—

11—15	23—18	a6—10	7—10	8—11	11—15
21—17	14—23	25—21	15—6	24—19	26—22
9—13	27—11	10—17	2—25	3—7	1—5
25—21	8—15	21—14	30—21	32—27	21—17
5—9	17—14	15—19	4—8	7—10	18—22
29—25	10—17	24—15	28—24	27—24	23—18
9—14	21—14	Very nicely drawn.			

(a) In a game between Barker and Jordan, 12—16 was played here, with a drawn result.—J. D.

GAME No. 1073.—FIFE.
By J. Macfarlane.

11—15	20—5	8—11	21—14	15—24	15—18
23—19	15—18	23—19	11—15	9—6	17—13
9—14	25—22	4—8	19—10	24—27	18—15
22—17	18—25	31—27	6—15	6—2	13—9
5—9	29—22	8—12	23—19	27—31	15—18
17—13	10—14	27—23	15—24	2—7	9—6
14—18	22—17	7—10	28—19	31—26	18—13
19—16	14—18	24—20	7—11	7—11	6—2
12—19	27—23	3—7	14—10	26—22	*15—11a
26—23	18—27	17—14	11—15	11—15	
30—26	32—23	10—17	13—9	22—17	Drawn.

(a) In "Quarterly Review," Var. 4, at 22d move, Mr. Heffner plays 15—18 here, which I think allows the undernoted Black win, as follows:—

15—18	7—11	18—14	10—24	6—2	32—27
2—7	b14—18	16—19	9—6	28—32	6—9
18—14	*12—16c	14—9	24—28	3—6	27—23

Black wins.

(b) Mr. H. leaves off here. Drawn.

(c) I submit this continuation to win for Black.—John Macfarlane.

I am indebted to the "Glasgow Mail" for the score of the foregoing very interesting game.

NOTES.

The final contest now pending at the City Club, 395 Pitt-street, between Messrs. Drury and Eugene, for the first or second prize of the double knock-out tourney, is causing a deal of interest in the game. The latter is battling hard, and putting Drury on his mettle. The first round ended in the latter's favour, the second, as I write, was unfinished.

I am advised the tourney promoted by the Glebe Club closed with 21 entries, a few days ago.

It is intimated that if a challenge is not received for the London championship, the trophy will be awarded to Mr. Alfred Jordan, the present holder, who has won it on eleven occasions. He has had some hard struggles, and has surely earned the prize without fighting more.

In the Sheffield Individual Championship Tourney the final seems to lie between Messrs. G. Jewitt (holder) and A. Norcliffe, the latter having defeated H. Wragg in the semi-final, while Jewitt is leading one game in his contest with W. H. Wragg. Norcliffe's performance in reaching the final is very meritorious.

A match for £10 a side, the best of eight games, one-half "go as you please," the remainder "restricted," is being played between J. G. Lewis, Newcastle-on-Tyne, and J. Richardson, Blaydon, and is arousing considerable interest in the north.

The proposed American championship tourney is not "taking on" among the players as the promoters hoped, the long distance many of the likely competitors would have to travel proving the chief impediment to its success. Inducements in the shape of travelling expenses, guaranteed by Mr. Lannin, of Brouwville, are now being held out to the Western players. Seven cash prizes are offered for competition, viz., £30, £20, £15, £12, £10, £6, and £4. The entrance fee is £2. If there were not sixteen entries received by the 15th inst. the tourney would be postponed indefinitely.

H. D. Lyman, author of the celebrated draughts work "Selected Problems," is not only an authority upon the game of draughts, but also upon the question of commercial honesty. In his position as president of the American Surety Company of New York, he has issued a pamphlet upon the subject, which is being largely quoted by the American press, and his opinion is that defalcation is becoming less frequent, principally as the result of education.

CURRENT LITERATURE.

THE FAR EAST.

We have here two books dealing with a very interesting subject from points of view which vary in some respects—"Letters from the Far East," by Sir Charles Eliot (Edward Arnold), and "Signs and Portents in the Far East," by Everard Cotes (Methuen and Co.). Sir Charles Eliot speaks with the authority of an acknowledged writer, but he is the first to admit that this particular book, which is a collection of articles to a London paper, written during a brief visit to China and Japan in 1906, is more a recording of "impressions de voyage" than a critical study of conditions. Even so, it has its value, especially when one considers the statesmanlike "Introduction." Sir Charles wants us to clearly understand the looseness of general nomenclature and its inapplicability in certain cases. For instance, he assures us that the fact which struck him most during his travels was the distinctness of China and Japan from the rest of Asia, and particularly from the Indian and Mohammedan East. "East" and "Oriental" are words which are made to apply to all countries from Turkey to the Pacific, but Sir Charles insists that "any absolute dichotomy of the Old World into East and West" is misleading, if only for the reason that, whilst Europe has a certain homogeneity in spite of many differences, in Asia even superficial uniformity is wanting. He divides the world of to-day into four varieties or provinces of civilisation:

> European (in which word I throughout include Americans, Australians, and the white races generally), Mohammedan, Hindu, and Chinese. These spheres and systems overlap (India, for instance, is partly Mohammedan), but in a given area it can usually be affirmed that one or other of them is definitely dominant. Such fragments of civilisation as may be found outside them do not appear to have had an independent origin, and the pre-Columbian civilisations of America seem to be a thing of the past as completely as the institutions of ancient Egypt or Babylonia. Of these civilisations, by far the most striking and extensive is the European. Its sphere includes all Europe, practically all America and Australia, and parts of Asia and Africa. It is characterised by the enormous development of the material and mechanical sides of life, and of the scientific studies which render them possible.

Now the Chinese sphere—which comprises China, Japan, Korea, and Indo-China—has not the peculiarities of Hindus or Mohammedans, and it has in their earlier stages the aptitudes and the aspirations of Europeans. It is partly because of this, and partly because of the success which has attended the Japanese effort to reduce the difference between Europeans and themselves in material civilisation and development that the "Chinese" sphere of influence is growing. Japan has been adapting herself to European methods, and in the process, or in consequence, she has become one of the leading Powers of the world. In doing so she has incurred the animosity of many peoples, and that notwithstanding the fact that the Japanese are an extremely polite and amiable people. Sir Charles Eliot does not believe that Mohammedanism will have much effect on the world in the future, but he plainly does believe that the awakening of China and Japan to a sense of their material importance and strength will have great effect. He notes that the issue of the Russo-Japanese war has produced an impression in India, showing the people as it does that "Europeans are neither inimitable nor invincible."

Here we may profitably turn to Mr. Everard Cotes and his "Signs and Portents in the Far East." The main lesson which this thoughtful book teaches us may be found in the following comparison:—

> There was a time (says Mr. Cotes) when the problem of the Far East was a question of quarrels amongst European Powers over the apportionment of rights to exploit the inheritance of the yellow race. It wears a very different aspect now. The existence, not the apportionment, of such rights is in dispute, for it is clear that the yellow race will no longer submit willingly to exploitation of any kind. Many things are said and shouted, but the purport of them all is "Hands off!" A mob may occupy the foreground, but ordered battalions stand in the middle distance. The white merchants of the ports, the white missionaries of the hinterland, and the white officials of the diplomatic centres, are compelled to adjust themselves to a new set of conditions.

Much of this new condition of affairs in China is due to the growth and to the influence of Japan. It has, however, been largely directed by Yuan-Shih-Kai, the Viceroy of Chihli, and the most powerful person in China in the present day. An old-time supporter of the young Emperor in his premature schemes for the reformation of China, Yuan-Shih-Kai withdrew before it was too late, and he has devoted his time since to the modernisation of that part of the government of the Celestial Empire, which is under his immediate control. Child-like and bland, like the hero of the famous verse, he conceals under his stout and pleasant personality an amount of energy, ability, and diplomacy which would do credit to the immortal "Heathen Chinee." He has founded schools, built roads, raised and equipped 70,000 well-drilled and well-found troops, whom he has armed with imported and manufactured modern weapons. He must be reckoned with in any trouble—a greater Li Hung Chang, a man who possesses his soul in patience, and whose very patience has made him absolutely the most powerful personality in China. The Empress-Dowager is a great person, but she is growing old; the Emperor is as he always has been, a futility; it is in the Viceroy of Chihli, impregnable, secure in his entrenchments against whatever attack that we must hail the dominant power in China. Meanwhile, the Chinese detestation of foreigners is growing in intensity, and the Japanese victory over Russia has shown them that Europeans are not invincible.

> Japan (says Mr. Cotes) has leapt suddenly into the arena of the big military powers. Is China about to follow her example? Are the armies of Yuan-shih-kai and Chan-Chi-Tung destined to sink back into impotence, or to become the parents of efficient forces exceeding those of the Mikado as the people of China outnumber those of Japan? In material resources and in men there are the makings of nine Japans in China. Are the nine units, or any of them, capable of the organisation and development which have enabled Japan to take a place beside France and Germany in the politics of the world? And what is the real presage of Japan? Are her successes in war over Russia, her successes in peace over Manchester and Pittsburg, preludes to still wider conquests and more general commercial advance? Japan has been the apt pupil of Western races. Is she about to become their teacher? In China she neighbours a race related to herself, but of giant growth. How far can this strange pair go?

The late Professor Pearson partly answered this question when he warned the world of the Yellow Peril. At the time the prophecy was regarded as concerning the Chinese, and the prophet had no conception of the marvellous growth of Japan. Now, however, it is the Japanese who are inciting China to opposition, and there is small doubt that this opposition, passive as it may be now, will become before long an element with which Europeans must reckon seriously. Mr. Cotes confirms what Sir Charles Eliot has said, which, indeed, is patent to all intelligent students of history. China will not for ever consent to be the plum pudding of Europe. China is not dead, or yet dying. She is very much alive—a Power to be regarded with growing seriousness. This is the lesson to be learnt from the two books before us. And we are also invited to appreciate this fact—that all foreigners are hated and despised by the Chinese and the Japanese. The lessons which these foreigners can teach are greedily swallowed, but once there is nothing more to be learned, good-bye to the "outer barbarians."

Copies of both these books reach us from the Sydney Book Club.

PICNICKING IN WILDEST AFRICA.

It not infrequently happens nowadays that women accompany their husbands engaged in the exploration of wild places of the earth. Or, perhaps, it is the husbands who accompany the exploring ladies. Witness—without deciding to which category the expedition belongs—the lady who was married to Major Powell Cotton, at Nairobi, East Africa, and who spent the honeymoon in Pygmy-land, accompanying her husband in all but the most arduous of his wanderings. The latest instance is supplied in "A Picnic Party in Wildest Africa, being a Sketch of a Winter's Trip to some of the Unknown Waters of the Upper Nile," by C. W. L. Bulpett (Edward Arnold). In this book are recorded the adventures of a Mrs. M'Millan, who in 1904 accompanied her husband, an American, and some friends on an expedition into the north-eastern part of Central Africa. What Mr. M'Millan had it in mind to do was to thoroughly explore and survey the Musha and Boma plateaus, which lie to the south of the Akobo, between that river and Lake Rudolph. The enterprise was successful, according to Mr. Bulpett, the author of this pleasant book, and the picnickers are able to say that, having gone over the whole of the territory concerned, they have procured data for the definition of a boundary line which would fix the limits of Abyssinia on its extreme south-western frontier.

When the real work of the exploration began Mrs. M'Millan gracefully retired, returning to civilisation across the Abyssinian mountains. Her brightness and humour greatly relieved the earlier work of the "picnic," though, we are free to confess, with much danger to the due understanding of the enterprise. She set the fashion of calling all members of the expedition by fancy names, which, however they may have appealed to the explorers' sense of humour, has undoubtedly the effect of bewildering the patient reader. But we must not be ungrateful. For the history of much that happened in the course of the journey from Khartoum up to the time of her leaving the expedition, and for descriptions of scenery and incidents, we are indebted to Mrs. M'Millan. There was plenty of sport, and that of the best; the sportsman never knowing from one hour to the next what his quarry would be—elephant or antelope, lion or giraffe. Little is told of the work of exploration. We are duly acquainted with the details of the marching or the boating from one stage to the other, and then there is a glance or two at the tribes encountered on the way. Probably Mr. W. N. M'Millan or his second in command, Mr. B. H. Jessen, will supply the important particulars later.

NOTES.

Mr. Thomas W. Lawson, author of "Frenzied Finance," which his enemies profess to regard as fiction, is now in the field with "Friday, the 13th" (William Heinemann), which is professedly a novel. The hero is a Mr. Randolph, a great operator in Wall-street, and the villain is cursorily referred to as "Bob Brownley." Robert, to give him his christened name, is occupied on the day in which the story begins, in bursting up many happy homes, and other homes, by bearing the market. Millions of dollars are being lost to enterprising speculators every few minutes, in consequence of Robert's activity. Now Mr. James Randolph, the head of the world-renowned banking firm of Randolph and Randolph, is the direct opposite to Robert, who was, for all that, his fellow-graduate from Harvard. Robert, however, was a born gambler, and he mentioned this tendency of his when on several occasions he refused the offer of admission to the firm of Randolph and Randolph. Instead, he pursued the somewhat rackety tenor of his own way. The climax of his activities was reached when he disturbed the dovecotes of Wall-street to the tune indicated. The story that follows is of considerable interest, but it will appeal mainly to those who think in dollars. The advancement of sugar quotations is exciting to operators, but hardly to readers. It turns out, however, that in his great gambling operations Robert has in view the education of the fool public. He wants the public to understand that it is with its money that the leviathans of the Stock Exchange gamble, and that whenever loss results it is the public which foots the bill. When there is a gain, the leviathans become larger than ever. Robert has made a billion dollars out of his gambling, and he surrenders it all. Not less convincing is the love story, which ambles along through the intricacies of gambling in Wall-street.

Right in opposition to Mr. Lawson's story and its underlying theory is Mr. A. C. Benson's "Beside Still Waters" (Smith, Elder, and Co.). Mr. Benson is one of the most prolific of modern writers, and the remarkable thing about the constant succession of his books is that each book is admirable. There is no mechanical turning out of so many words, but there are such distinctive pieces of literature as "The Upton Letters," now in the second edition, and "From a College Window," in its fourth. Mr. Benson does not aim at the crowd; he does not seek popularity. Whilst we may wonder how it is that he so regularly produces books, nobody may find a reason for their popularity in any concession to public feeling. His latest book, "Beside Still Waters," is a case in point. The hero of this book, Hugh Neville, does nothing. He is perhaps anaemic, certainly introspective, and hardly orthodox. The book is admittedly an attempt to trace the more secret and solitary thoughts of the hero, "as his soul took shape under the silent influences of pensive reflection." Nor is the hero of an aggressively heroic type. He is a student, rather feminine than masculine in tendencies, and is not quite sure of what he believes, or whether he believes anything, until one day there is borne in upon him the lesson "that God is behind and over and in all things, and that it is His purpose and not our own that is growing and ripening." Now, one cannot explain the charm of this beautiful book any more than one may translate into words the influence of great music, or of a great picture, or the scent of a rose. The fragrance rests with the reader. Mr. Benson is a master of English prose, and there are some passages in this book which will challenge comparison with anything in the language. There is this, for instance, about the playing of an organ at twilight in one of the college chapels of Cambridge:—"For an hour the great organ uttered its voice—now a soft and delicate strain, a lonely flute or a languid reed outlining itself upon the movement of the accompaniment; or at intervals the symphony worked up to a triumphant outburst, the trumpets crashing upon the air and a sudden thunder outrolling; the great pedals seeming to move like men walking in darkness, treading warily and firmly; until the whole ended with a soft slow movement of perfect simplicity and tender sweetness, like the happy dying of a very old and honourable person, who has drunk his fill of life and blessings, and closes his eyes for very weariness and gladness upon labour and praise alike." Our copy comes from the Sydney Book Club.

"The Last Days of Mary Stuart," by Samuel Cowan (George Bell and Sons), is a book that will be heartily appreciated by one of the two classes into which the eloquent students of the life of Mary Queen of Scots are divided. There is one class that regards Mary as little short of a saint, and certainly a martyr; and there is the other class that looks upon her as a Babylonish woman of the worst kind. So people regard Queen Elizabeth as the blood-thirsty tyrant who was determined to murder her heir-presumptive, partly because of female jealousy, and partly because of her insatiable appetite for blood. Other people regard Elizabeth as the personification of nobility and patriotism. Unhappily, the middle way does not invite either class, and Mr. Cowan's book no way helps to a more intelligent study of the subject. It is mainly a glorification of the Queen, whom her cousin so cruelly put to death after keeping her in captivity for some nineteen years. The trouble is, that Mr. Cowan thinks it necessary to hold a brief on one side, and to blacken the character of the party to whom his client is opposed.

Before Dr. Welldon was moved to exchange the headmastership of Harrow for the bishopric of Calcutta, he had preached such sermons to the boys in the great school as deserved to live. Some of these have been reproduced in "Be Strong: Lessons for Young Lives" (the Religious Tract Society), a little volume which we would commend to the attention of all who aim at the promotion of purity and health and strength in the rising generation.

An anonymous person, who is admittedly an aged man or woman, writes in "The Religion of a Layman" (Waddie and Co.) the reasons for the unfaith which is in her. She says that all the churches are wrong, and she suggests that she alone holds the key to the gates of the Temple of Truth. Besides an unconscionable amount of anti-Christian rubbish which was common property some hundred years or so ago, the good lady or gentleman who writes this book, favours us with nothing more important than an unscientific analysis of the Westminster Confession of Faith.

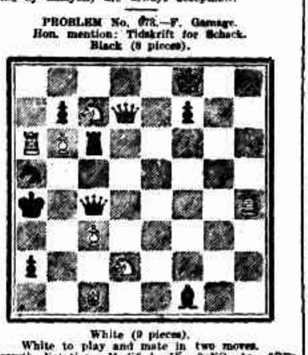
Mr. C. H. Northcott, of the Sydney Grammar School, has written a little book called "Notes on 'The Talisman,' with biographical and historical introduction" (Angus and Robertson). It is rather a novel experience to find the notes to a book without the book; but not an unhappy experience altogether, when we have in view the modern editor of a classic, cometlike, with a small luminous head and a nebulous and vasty tail. Mr. Northcott's book being designed for the student of a text set for examination is businesslike, full, and accurate. More is not to be predicated of such work.

"Tippoo Tib" filled a large space in the history of the Soudan before short order was taken with him and his like. Nobody quite knew—and we shall never know now—how it was that Gordon came to terms with Tippoo Tib—Gordon, the man who stood for freedom, and Tippoo Tib, whose very existence was founded on the slave trade. We have here "Tippoo Tib: the Story of his Career in Central Africa," narrated from his own accounts, by Heinrich Brode, and translated by H. Havelock (Edward Arnold). There is also a preface by Sir Charles Eliot, which is harmless, if unnecessary. Tippoo Tib was a great man in his day, and everybody who wants to know more about a man who was once a Sultan may be commended to the book.

CHESS.

Hon. secretaries of chess clubs are invited to furnish news of general interest. Unpublished games and original problems in diagram (which should be accompanied by analysis) are always acceptable.

PROBLEM No. 973.—F. Gamage.
Hon. mention: Tidskrift for Schack.
Black (8 pieces).



White (9 pieces).
White to play and mate in two moves.

Forsyth Notation Modified.—5K, 3pNQ, 1p, 2RPr, b, 7k, 1q, 4R, 2P, 5p, 2N, 6B, 2b, 2.

Key.—Counting from Black's QR square, the initial letter of piece is put for the square occupied thereby. Numerals denote intervening blank squares. Black pieces in small type.

Correct solutions omitted:—No. 960, O. Hegman; No. 966, F. C. Freeman; No. 967, F. R. Smith.

PROBLEM No. 968.—F. Gamage.
First prize, Tidskrift for Schack.
Key: QR7.

Correct solutions from J. W. Hillyer, J. C. Warner, Once More, F. C. Freeman, H. P., Clemo, J. Harvey, J. M. C., F. R. Smith, H. R., E. M. Fry, Once More, O. Hegman, B. F. Kersey, Frenchy, T. P.

PROBLEM No. 969.—E. G. Schultz.
First prize, Tidskrift for Schack.
Key: BKt4.

Correct solutions from J. W. Hillyer, Once More, F. C. Freeman, F. R. Smith, E. M. Fry, J. M. C., B. F. Kersey, Clemo.

PROBLEM No. 970.—P. H. Mikkelsen.
Second prize, Tidskrift for Schack.
Key: QKt6.

Correct solutions from J. Harvey, F. R. Smith, Once More, H. G., F. C. Freeman, E. M. Fry, J. M. C., O. Hegman, B. F. Kersey, J. W. Hillyer, H. E. Bulmer, R. Williams, Dora, H. Porter, Clemo.

PROBLEM No. 971.—H. Hosey Davis.
First prize, "Cricket and Football Field."
Key: KK2.

Correct solutions from Once More, F. C. Freeman, E. M. Fry, B. F. Kersey, J. W. Hillyer, Clemo, F. R. Smith.

Correct solutions not above mentioned have reached us too late to score in tourney. They will, however, be acknowledged in our next issue.

"HERALD" THIRTEENTH TOURNEY.

The "Sydney Morning Herald" thirteenth international problem tourney.—Conditions: (1) Competitors may send in as many original problems in diagrams, accompanied by full solutions as they please. "White to play and mate in two moves." (2) Each problem to have a nom-de-guerre or motto. The composer's name and address to be enclosed in a separate sealed envelope, with the like motto. Seals will not be broken until the awards are made. (3) Each problem to have but one author, not to have competed in any other tourney, or been published before. (4) Problems to be addressed "The Editor, the 'Sydney Morning Herald,' Sydney, Australia," and reach this office by December 1 next. The prize we offer for the problem that the judge (Mr. F. J. Young, of Hobart, Tas.) deems best is two guineas. Should he so recommend, two special prizes will also be awarded.

Competing problems to hand to date:—Velvet Glove, Te Lana Lille, L. H., He Kala, Strateia, Errare humanum est, A Bold Bid (6).

NOTES.

The Sydney C.C. Continuous Tourney.—Recent results are:—Rumford beat Scott, Mackenzie beat Rossi, A. J. Turner beat Giles, Apperley-Henderson draw, Giles beat A. J. Turner, Spence beat Rossi, Spence drew Henderson, Spence beat Henderson, Giles drew C. Turner, Rossi drew Britton, Spence beat Mackenzie, Britton drew C. Turner, Giles drew Nicholls, Rumford drew A. J. Turner, Rossi beat Giles, Giles beat Spence, Spence beat Giles, Mackenzie beat Henderson, Spence beat Hodgkinson (3), Hodgkinson beat Spence (2), Giles beat Rossi, Rossi beat Giles, Mackenzie beat Spence, Rumford beat C. Turner, Rumford beat A. J. Turner, Henderson beat Rossi, Spence beat Mackenzie, Giles beat Nicholls (2), C. Turner beat Nicholls, A. J. Turner beat Spence (2), Mackenzie beat Rumford, Giles beat Britton, Britton beat Giles, Nicholls beat Spence, Spence beat Henderson, C. Turner beat Giles (2), Rossi beat Britton (2), Mackenzie beat Nicholls, Miles beat Rossi (2), Mackenzie beat Britton, Giles drew Turner, C. Turner beat Nicholls (2), Henderson beat Rumford, Bignold beat Spence, Bignold drew Spence, Spence beat Bignold, Spence drew Giles, A. J. Turner beat Apperley, Spence beat A. J. Turner, Nicholls beat Britton (2), Britton beat Nicholls, Rumford beat Giles, Henderson beat Mackenzie, Mackenzie beat Giles.

The Championship of the City of London Chess Club.—This has been won by Mr. G. E. Wainwright, with the splendid score of 14 out of a possible 17 games.

LASKER v MARSHALL.

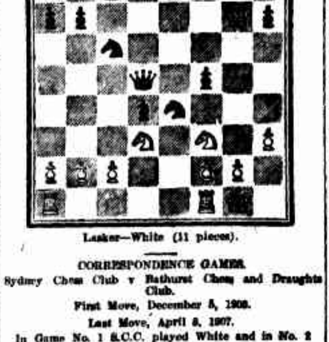
We give the score of the second game, with some caustic comments by Napier, in the "Pittsburg Despatch":—

French Defence.

White—Lasker.	Black—Marshall.	White—Lasker.	Black—Marshall.
1. PK4	PK3	28. RxR	PxR
2. PQ4	PQ4	29. QxQ	KtxQ
3. KtQB3	KtKB3	30. KtR5	PK5
4. BQ3	PB4	31. KtQ3	PR5
5. PxQP	BPxP	32. PxBP	KQ2
6. BKt5ch	BQ2	33. KB	KK3
7. BxBch	QxB	34. KK2	PxP
8. PxP	QxPch	35. KxP	KB4
9. QKtK2	KtB3	36. KB3	KtB3
10. KtKB3	BKt5ch	37. KtB5	PKt3
11. BQ2	Castles QR	38. KtQ3	KtR4
12. Castles	KRK	39. KtB	KtB3
13. KtB4	QKt5	40. KtK2	KK4
14. PKR3	QB4	41. KtKt3	KtQ4
15. KtQ3	BxB	42. PR5	KtB6
16. QxB	KtK5	43. PR6	KB3
17. QB4	QQ4	44. PB3	KtQ8
18. QKt4ch	PB4	45. PxP	KtxP
19. QxKtP	RKt	46. KtR5	KtK2
20. QR6	KtQ7	47. PQ5	KtB5
21. QxKt	QxKt	48. KK4	KtR4
22. PKKt3	PKR4	49. PQ6	KtKt2
23. QB4	QQ4	50. KQ5	KtQ
24. KRK	QRK	51. PQ7	PR4
25. RxRch	RxR	52. KtK7ch	Resigns
26. RK	RK5	2h 26m	2h 26m
27. QKt5	KtK5		

This game from an artistic point of view is a complete fizzle. In the position appended Marshall had an excellent line of play, as follows:—19. KtQ7; 20. KtxKt, RKt; 21. KtKB4, QQ8; 22. QB7, QxKt; 23. QRQ, KtK4, with a fine game. The "hypnotic moment" once neglected, Dr. Lasker gave further evidence of his talent for exact end play.

Position after White's 19th move.
Marshall—Black (11 pieces).



Lasker—White (11 pieces).

CORRESPONDENCE GAMES.

Sydney Chess Club v Bathurst Chess and Draughts Club.

First Move, December 5, 1906.

Last Move, April 8, 1907.

In Game No. 1 S.C.C. played White and in No. 2 Black.

Game No. 1.

1. PK4	PK4	11. QKtxQP	PKB4
2. KtKB3	KtQB3	12. RK	O—O
3. BB4	KtB3	13. KtxKt	PxKt
4. PQ4	PxP	14. QK2	BB3
5. O—O	KtxP	15. BB4	KR
6. RK	PQ4	16. QRQ	BQ2
7. BxP	QxB	17. BKt5	RB5
8. KtQB3	QQ	18. KtK5	RK3
9. RxKt ch.	BK2	19. BxB	
10. KtQKt5	PQR3	and Black resigned.	

If 19. PxB,

20. KtK6 ch.	PxKt
21. QxR	21. QxQ
22. RxQ	22. BK
23. QRK	and Black cannot save his Bishop.

Game No. 2 (S.C.C. played Black).

1. PK4	PK4	11. PxKt	BQ2
2. KtKB3	KtKB3	12. KtQ2	BB5 ch.
3. PQ4	PxP	13. PKt3	O—O (Q.R.)
4. PK5	KtK5	14. KtxKt	RxP ch.
5. QK2	BKt5 ch.	15. BQ2	PxKt
6. KQ	PQ4	16. RB	BB3
7. PxP e.p.	PKB4	17. RxB	QxR
8. PxP	QxP	18. QKt4 ch.	KKt
9. KtxP	QKtB3	19. BB4	
10. PQB3	KtxKt		

And Black announced mate in 6, commencing with RxB ch, and followed by QKB8.

MUSIC AND DRAMA.

Mr. J. Henry Iles, who is now in Sydney in the course of his direction of the world's tour of the "Besses o' the Barn" Band, which opens at the Town Hall this day fortnight, is known throughout the United Kingdom as the proprietor and editor of the "British Bandsman" and the "Orchestral Times," and as the musical conductor for seven consecutive years of the Crystal Palace Band Festival at Sydenham. At these annual festivals audiences of 60,000 people are present, and last year 204 bands took part in a series of 11 different competitions, the total number of bandsmen engaged being about 7000. More often, however, in place of wielding the baton, Mr. Iles has figured as manager, in which capacity he can claim the organisation of three or four of the biggest concerts ever given in London. He initiated the idea of "massed bands" as a popular attraction at the Royal Albert Hall, where he organised the "Absent Minded Beggar" concert (1900) for those depending on the soldiers abroad in the Transvaal. Sir Arthur Sullivan then conducted a champion band from each county in England, and Mme. Albani, Mme. Clara Butt, and Mr. Edward Lloyd sang. Mr. Iles was also appointed to manage the Coronation Concert (June 11, 1902) at the same vast hall for King Edward's Hospital Fund, when George Godfrey's "Coronation March" was played by the massed bands. In this connection he invented the idea of a simultaneous performance throughout the British Empire, for which he was presented to the King, and received the Coronation Decoration. Yet a third great occasion brought him to the fore, the "Union Jack Club Concert" at the Albert Hall (1903) for the benefit of soldiers and sailors alike, with the Queen's Hall orchestra and massed military bands, the Leeds' choir of 600 voices for Elgar's "Coronation Ode," and Mmes. Melba and Blauvelt amongst the soloists. Each of these three concerts cost about £2000 to give, and the total receipts were nearly £15,000. The last concert Mr. Iles directed was for the Royal Lifeboat Fund at Queen's Hall in June, 1904, at which the best places were five guineas each, and by which £1500 net was cleared on a seating capacity of 2400. The newcomer produces programmes which support the claim of this concert as artistically the strongest ever given in London, but the list is too long to quote fully. It included Melba, Caruso, Plancon, Kreisler, Holman, Saint Saens, and the Queen's Hall orchestra. Since then Mr. Iles has taken up the famous "Besses." He directed their visit to Paris in 1905, for which he was made an Officier de l'Academie Francaise. He was personally decorated by M. Beauregarde, Minister of Fine Arts, and the distinction so rarely bestowed on Englishmen, was in recognition of the success of the "Besses."

The new musical comedy company which Mr. J. C. Williamson is forming for Australia has advanced still further towards completion during the past week. Mr. Reginald Kenneth, a baritone, who has "seen service" with Mr. George Edwardes' companies in England and South Africa, has been engaged. During his recent visit to New Zealand, Mr. Williamson secured Miss Amy Murphy, the leading concert soprano of that colony, for the new company. This singer, who made a favourable impression at a Sydney Liedertafel concert some years ago, is very highly spoken of, and has had plenty of stage experience with amateur operatic societies. The two principal comedians, Messrs. Victor Gouriet and Miles Clifton, are coming from Mr. Edwardes' theatres, and will leave London shortly. As already noted, "The Blue Moon" and "My Lady Madcap" are the pieces reserved for the new combination. As regards new plays, Mr. Williamson, who secured "John Glayde's Honour" in London last month, has this month purchased in New York the Australasian rights in "Brewster's Millions," a new American comedy-drama now in the height of a current success. Mr. Andrew Mack has a new piece in his repertoire, appropriately entitled "Eileen Asthore." The Irish comedian, with the charming high voice, has left Wellington, has toured the smaller towns of the North Island, and is now at Auckland. "Parsifal" closed a satisfactory run in Melbourne last night, and this evening Miss Tittell Brune enters with "Dorothy Vernon" upon a series of farewell revivals for the closing weeks of her season. The Royal Comic Opera Company will be at Ballarat and Geelong from Monday next, and just a week later will open their season in Brisbane.

Mme. Albani and her new concert party, including the famous English tenor Mr. William Green, sailed for Australia yesterday. According to news brought from Vancouver by their representative, Mr. Gibbons, they will open their season during June, either here or in Melbourne. Mr. Ernest Gye forwards press notices relating to the most recent appearances both of his wife and of the pianist, Miss Myrtle Meggy. The "Morning Post" of March 20 reviews the concert of the Bach Choir at Queen's Hall the previous night, with Mme. Albani as the star soloist. The Mass in B minor (1733), the only complete setting of this portion of the Roman liturgy that Bach ever finished, was beautifully rendered, and we read that "for perfection of appreciation of the intentions of the composer the efforts of Mme. Albani stand out from among those of the other members of the excellent quintet of soloists engaged by the society." As regards the young Sydney pianist now returning here, Mr. Gye forwards cuttings from the "Globe," the "Morning Post," and the "Times," all of which praise her in the highest terms for sympathy, delicacy, and emotion. The London "Times" of March 22, referring to Miss Meggy's recital at the Bechstein Hall, remarks that "while her technical skill is sufficient for any demands that are likely to be made upon it, she is already in possession of the higher qualities of style, and her touch is of remarkable beauty. She played Schumann's "Des Abends" with fine artistic feeling and the right sort of poetry, and in Brahms' G minor rhapsody there was plenty of fire. . . . . Better than anything else was her admirable interpretation of the 'Kreutzer Sonata' with Mr. Johann Kruse, a thing of such fine quality that the performance deserved to be honourably remembered."

Mr. Ernest Leicester arrived during the week by the Himalaya from England, under engagement to Mr. Edwin Geach, who is forming a new company to play the American melodrama, "Human Hearts." Mr. Leicester was leading man at the Surrey Theatre under the late George Conquest, and subsequently made his career at the West-end houses, more especially at the Princess's and Adelphi theatres. Mr. Geach is also bringing out Miss Valentine Sidney as leading lady. The newcomer has made many of her successes in South Africa in companies directed by our one-time visitor Mr. Edward Sass. "Human Hearts" deals with the story of Tom Logan, an Arkansas blacksmith, who has married "not wisely but too well;" the retrograde move of his wife, Jeannette, who leaves him for a former lover; the unfortunate murder of his father, of which crime he is accused; and the various developments which lead to his release. Mr. W. J. Lincoln will be touring manager of "Human Hearts," which will open at Wellington May 18, Melbourne (Princess's Theatre) August 10, and Sydney (Criterion) September 8.

The scheme for retaining the New Zealand Orchestra with a Government subsidy as a permanent institution has fallen through, but the players, under Mr. Alfred Hill's baton, with Mr. George Weston as leader and Mr. Cyril Monk as deputy leader, have left a fine record behind them, and are even embarking upon an independent tour. Mr. Monk writes that the record of work included 18 symphonies, of which the most popular were Beethoven's No. 5 (the Eroica, Pastoral, and Nos. 2, 4, and 8 were also done) and Schubert's Unfinished, of each of which 13 or 14 performances were given. Liszt's "Hungarian Rhapsodies" and the prelude to the third act of "Lohengrin" were in constant demand. Six pianoforte concertos were rendered, three violin concertos, and between 40 and 50 overtures. The Chamber Music section gradually became important, and many quintettes, quartettes, and trios were rendered, as well as Bach's "Double Concerto for two Violins," in which Mr. Monk was associated with Miss Arline Thackeray. This latter violinist, it appears, has accepted a good appointment at a new School of Music, with Miss Potts as principal, in Dunedin, and will settle there at the end of the present tour. Since the middle of this month the orchestra has been visiting the principal towns of both islands under a guarantee, and the players will reach Auckland about a fortnight hence for four final appearances. Mr. Cyril Monk will accordingly resume work in Sydney again about the third week in May.

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IN THE GARDEN.

REMEDIES FOR ROSE PESTS.

Many of our amateur rosegrowers know well the importance of cleansing their roses. This is a wide subject, but a necessary one for the successful cultivation of these favourite flowers. If insecticides are used great care and judgment are needed in mixing and applying the various ingredients. Sufficient strength in the compound used to kill the insect pests we are warring against, and at the same time avoiding injury to the tender foliage, is an all-important matter. As a general rule, insects attack the tenderest and youngest growths, making it imperative that great care should be used in not applying any solution that is strong enough to affect such sensitive foliage as the young shoots of our roses. In a general way we may take it that the syringe is the best medium with which to apply any liquid insecticide; there is one notable exception, however, and that is in the case of "scale," which is perhaps the most injurious of all rose enemies. This is an extremely hardy insect, and unlike the rest of the pests it does not affect the young foliage and growth so much as the wood more matured, consequently a solution may be used that is far too strong for the tender young leaves to withstand—indeed, it is absolutely necessary to do so, in order to eradicate this deadly rose enemy. It must be remembered that a stronger and more powerful solution than is recommended for aphis, thrip, and red spider, is necessary to prove effectual in destroying this pest. A painter's sash-brush is a good tool with which to apply these strong solutions. A good insecticide for use in connection with the sash-brush is a cake of Gishurst compound. Wet the brush in a little warm water, and rub it on the soap until a slight lather is formed. Apply to the parts of the plants that are affected, and after a few hours give the whole a thorough syringing. To make it still more effectual a very little kerosene oil may be added. This will loosen the scale as soon as it touches it—in fact, kerosene is a useful insecticide when carefully used. It may appear a rather lengthy proceeding to clear the plants by this method, but in reality it does not take much time, as the addition of kerosene causes the mixture to spread over the wood rapidly, and the brush does not require wetting very often. Scale is at all times a difficult pest to thoroughly eradicate. A close watch should be kept for the first appearance of this too common enemy.

Green-fly, thrip, and red spider are the three insect pests most prevalent upon roses, but fortunately these are readily destroyed without injury to the plant, but much care will be needed in applying remedies, and a fair amount of patience is necessary. One single fumigation or one syringing as a general rule is not effective, whereas two applications of weaker strength, and closely following one another, are very deadly to all insect life. For all or either of these three insect pests there are a few simple insecticides that are very suitable for their extermination. In all solutions of these, soft soap forms a very important ingredient—in fact, in mild cases, and when few insects are to be seen, the frequent use of this alone, and at the rate of about an ounce to a gallon of solution, will be found efficacious. If the soft soap is boiled it will prove more effectual, and will go further. It will be just as serviceable weeks after being boiled as if used at once. Soft soap may be made more effective by adding other ingredients, such as quassia, kerosene, and tobacco liquor. The latter, however, is a very powerful insecticide, and should not be used to any plants coming into flower. It stains the blooms, and renders them unsightly. Half a pound of soft soap and a quarter of a pound of tobacco-leaf boiled together will make 20 gallons of solution. Most gardeners are very much in favour of soft soap and kerosene for destroying insects, but it needs careful using, and all mixtures containing it should be frequently stirred during their application. To every pound of soap add a wineglassful of kerosene, and stir it well together while still hot or on the boil; be careful that the mixture does not boil over, and remember the inflammatory nature of the kerosene. A pound of soap, with the addition of kerosene, should make about 20 gallons of solution, and will be found more economical than tobacco, and will leave no stain upon the flowers or young growth. Either of these solutions will be found very useful for indoor or outdoor application, and if used twice and on consecutive days will clean roses of almost any of the numerous pests to which they are subjected.

When contending against mildew, a solution of soft soap and kerosene, with the addition of a little flower of sulphur, is to be recommended. It will be necessary to keep the solution well stirred on account of the kerosene, and this will also keep the sulphur in motion, and result in a uniform dusting being left on all parts touched by the mixture. Sulphur and kerosene are both admirable remedies for mildew, and will destroy it, and leave the foliage in good condition for resisting any subsequent attacks.

THE MIMULUS.

With the common musk the amateur is well acquainted, and as a window plant Mimulus cardinalis makes a good companion to it, for, though taller, it is equally fragrant, and its bright scarlet flowers are more showy than the small yellow blooms of the musk; whilst M. Moschatus Harrisoni is an improved compact variety, and one of the most useful of plants, either for window, conservatory, or garden culture. These are quite hardy, and well adapted for borders. Many of the large flowering varieties of mimulus make beautiful pot plants for the decoration of the greenhouse or conservatory, where they keep up a succession of bloom for a considerable time. A mixture of clay, loam, and a good quantity of silver sand, suits them admirably. They should always be kept in a cool place, and liberally supplied with water. When the flowering period is over they should be placed in some shady corner outside, or in a cold frame, where they may remain all the winter, and should be allowed to start into growth undisturbed until the young shoots are about an inch long. They should then be taken out of their pots and divided, if increase is wanted; or the whole plant may be repotted in any desirable-sized pot and replaced in their old quarters, to remain until ready for the purposes required. Plenty of water while growing is with Mimuli more a necessity than any particular selection in the way of site or other requirements; indeed, they belong to a class of plants that readily accommodate themselves to circumstances.

The following amongst the older varieties are well suited for pot culture:—M. aurantiacus splendens, a kind with a yellow ground blotched with crimson, and beautifully spotted in the throat; M. albus elegantissimus, a very finely spotted variety, with white ground, the lobes and margins being marked with crimson; M. cupreus, orange and crimson; M. guttatus, and M. luteus, both bright yellow; M. exquisitus, a sort with a beautiful orange ground, brilliantly edged with crimson, and elegantly spotted; and M. meteor, orange, with large violet and bronze shaded blotches. The blooms of many of these have a peculiar musky scent, and are as exquisitely marked as those of any herbaceous calceolaria. Amongst the more recent varieties worthy of culture may be mentioned M. tigrinus grandiflora duplex, a wonderfully improved variety, with fine flowers and double tube; and M. nobilis, a dwarf, double. Any of these look well when dotted here and there amongst other flowers and plants, or placed together in groups; but those who have only seen them, even at their very best thus artificially arranged, cannot form any conception of the grand effect they produce when grown in great natural masses. Those, however, who do not care to procure named kinds may get a packet of seed of a good strain, which, if sown in the early spring, will produce a quantity of plants bearing a great variety of flowers. Harrison's musk (Moscnatus), it may be well to remark, cannot be raised from seed, but must be propagated by dividing the roots, or by means of cuttings during autumn, which will strike readily in a pot of sandy soil, and placed in a shady window.

DOUBLE DAISIES.

Although daisies date back perhaps further than most cultivated flowers they still hold a conspicuous place in many gardens, and appear to be fast rising in popular favour. Of late years they have been greatly improved, both as regards size, beauty, and quality. Instead of the "wee modest crimson-tipped flower" of long ago we have now daisies with stems six inches or more in length, and with blossoms as large and full as those of a small aster. Many of them trace their pedigree to the old "hen and chicken" variety, which even now may be seen as a favourite flower in some of our cottage gardens.

The cultivated kinds of the common daisy are indispensable for the embellishment of gardens in spring, as they are amongst the first things to bloom, and they continue on in full beauty until quite late in the season. A very pretty effect is produced by using them in combination with forget-me-nots and primroses, with either of which they associate well. An effective arrangement is by planting a broad band of the double white daisy near the grass, then a deeper one of red, with the centre of the bed filled in with the common primrose. The colour and softness of the whole will be found most charming. Another arrangement is to have the daisies reversed; that is, the red on the outside, and the white next the myosotis, which mixture of shades produces a very pleasing effect.

To have daisies strong and with good, well-developed crowns, on which their flowering chiefly depends, they must be well managed and cared for during the summer, as every bloom has to be formed, and packed up as it were during the season. To enable the plants to carry out this important part of their work they must have good quarters to grow in, the best situations being where they can enjoy shade during the heat of the day, and in a position where they are handy to water. Before planting, the ground should be well manured and deeply dug, and the plants pulled apart and divided, when they may be either dibbled in rows nine inches apart, or placed at a similar distance by the aid of a trowel. The latter way is preferable, as the roots are less liable to be doubled up and injured or cramped than they are when a dibble is used, and the saving of time with this implement is not great.

NOVELTIES IN FLOWERS.

There is so impetuous a desire and craving for novelty in everything horticultural that our florists and seedsmen are constantly on the alert for anything possessing the least distinctive features of excellence. Were it otherwise much would be lost in the way of improved and novel floral developments which greet us year by year. Hybridisation and sprouts from the parent plants introduce the grower to many novelties both interesting and valuable. Change and variation in form and colour is constantly going on in the floral word. To have some rare plant available, either for the beauty of its foliage, a new break in the colour or form of the flower, is the ambition of all interested in floriculture. It may require the keenness of a trained eye to point out nice distinctions to the untrained amateur, still there are many good things offered each year in the new season's catalogues of the best houses, whose annual guides and catalogues are now being distributed broadcast both far and near. Even if disappointment follows an initial attempt at growing something novel it will not deter the garden-loving individual from trying again, just as an inclement season, after destroying some of the choice pets of the amateur's growing will not deter him from trying again to replace them. It is only a select few who understand what is likely to succeed and what to avoid. A garden in which but a few things thrive has charms, particularly if the occupier does not give up after the first failure.

Those novelties that are the product of "sports" and "freaks of nature" will frequently, after a time, return to the form of the original stock. Naturally it is the aim and desire of every gardener to retain the specimen as it appears in its novel form, and use every means to prevent the novelty returning to the form, colour, and characteristics of the plant from which it emanated.

SCIENCE NOTES.

W. G. P.

THE SPREAD OF NOXIOUS INSECTS.

Natural species are usually confined to more or less limited areas, but by one of life's little ironies the noxious insect is not so cabined and confined. Taking advantage of all the resources of civilisation he roams where he listeth. An assiduous traveller, he is ever on the lookout for pastures new, and he is able to sniff disdainfully at Alien Immigration Restriction Acts. No insect is really cosmopolitan by nature, but the pest has learned to be so. The only consolation is that tropical insects do not readily acclimatise themselves to temperate zones. Even to this, however, the yellow fever mosquito in the south of Europe is an exception. On the other hand, a European mosquito has turned emigrant, and may now be found in the depths of the Soudan. Insects that attack stored grain, such as rice, are almost universal, the rice weevil being found from Norway to New Zealand. The fate of the emigrant is hard to predict. If he has luck he will increase and multiply, as an Australian scale has done in California. On the other hand, the Tasmanian lady-bird, which was purposely introduced into the United States, found the climate unfavourable and died out. The codlin moth appears originally to have come from Europe. It now does damage to the extent of millions of pounds per year, having found a domicile in America, Canada, Madeira, Teneriffe, Cape Colony, and Australasia. Numerous species of fruit flies attack apples, pears, peaches, citrus fruits, bananas, and so on. They lay their eggs in the fruit, and the maggot lives on the pulp. The Mediterranean fruit fly has been distributed over Australia, and we have returned the compliment with our own flies. As a set-off our lady-birds are heartily co-operating with the fruitgrower in Egypt. The San Jose scale insect came from northern China, where it was held in check by natural enemies, and was introduced to America through Japan. Pest insects not only infect the fruit and stems, but even the roots of plants, where they are very difficult to detect. Thus what is commonly called American Blight has been distributed pretty well all over the world.

Phylloxera is another root-form; a species which attacks oaks has been found in South Africa, introduced with seedlings. Even the soil round the roots gives many pests the opportunity to emigrate. The Colorado beetle has a remarkable history. Originally it lived on wild plants in the Rocky Mountains; but as settlers pushed forward with their patches of potatoes the beetles left the wild plants for the cultivated. It was conveyed to England as an unsuspected passenger on some ship. Hessian fly, a corn pest, imported into America, spread over the greater part of the wheat area, whence it was taken back to England. Plants are not the only things troubled by noxious insects. Sheep flies have been widely distributed; and so to speak, domesticated mosquitoes have an enormous range. The yellow fever variety seems to have spread from the West Indies, mainly by being carried on ships. The brown household mosquito is also an undesired fellow-passenger. The large number of transports running during the war seem to have introduced a European mosquito to the Cape.

THE STUDY OF CRYSTALS.

As long ago as 1669 Steno observed that the angles between the corresponding faces of different specimens of rock crystal were equal, and a little later this was shown to be a general and fundamental law of crystal formation. This constancy of the angle in any crystal species is, however, masked by the fact that faces may develop very unequally, so that two specimens of the same crystal may be very unlike in appearance. Consequently the observation mentioned was received with incredulity for a hundred years, until the invention of an instrument for accurately measuring crystal angles compelled its acceptance. The foundations of modern crystallography were laid by Hauy in 1784. He it was who showed that all varieties of crystals may be referred to a few simple types. Another founder of the modern science was Mitscherlich, who in 1819 discovered that substances chemically different often have the same crystalline form. To such identity in crystals he gave the name of isomorphism. A little later, in 1823, he showed conversely that the same substance might have, under varying conditions, quite different types of crystals; as, for instance, the monoclinic and rhombic crystals of sulphur. Previously it had been supposed that every substance of definite chemical composition had one definite crystal form. As soon as Mendeleef's Periodic Law had shown that the chemical elements form natural families, it was seen to be these closely related elements which gave rise to series of salt crystallising alike; so that isomorphism became one of the tests of family relationship among the elements. Tutton, from about the year 1891, has made a minute and detailed study of crystallography, carefully investigating the crystals of some forty distinct salts. In the course of this work he measured accurately over 20,000 angles, as well as investigating the different behaviour of crystals to light and heat. He has thus minutely confirmed Hauy's original theory that difference of chemical composition is accompanied by difference in crystal form. Even in apparently strictly isomorphous crystals it seems there are minute differences which can be detected by careful measurement. An immense amount of work has been done to try to explain the way in which the molecules are built up into the crystal, obviously according to some regular plan. It has been shown that there are 230 types of structures possible, all of which fall into one or other of the known 32 classes of crystal symmetry.

SMUT IN CORN.

As late as the middle of the 18th century the black powdery substance (the smut spores) in smutty grain was regarded as a part of the plant itself which had degenerated; and it was not until well on in the 19th century that the disease was shown to be caused by a parasitic fungus allied to the mushroom and the toadstool. The first practical attempt to deal with the pest was made by Kuhn, the director of a large estate in Silesia, who convinced himself that by treating the seed with a fungicide such as copper sulphate the loss from smut could be reduced to a minimum. The next important observation was that the smut spores do not germinate readily in pure water, but do so quickly in a nutritive medium such as manure. It was shown also that the smut spores might retain their vitality for several years. A smutty corn crop may infect the ground, and do the old damage when corn is again sown after a rotation of crops. The smut fungus attacks the first blade of the sprouting corn. Attempts have been made, with some success, to breed corn immune to rust, but more practical results follow the use of fungicides; hot water, potassium sulphide, formalin, and so on have been tried. These are, to a large extent, successful, but the disease often persists in a way that baffles explanation, perhaps in a dormant state within the host. More recently it has been shown that plants can be inoculated with the fungus even through the flower by air-borne smut spores, and this is said to be the chief source of infection. Such grain looks healthy enough, but gives rise to smutty plants in the following season. Hence, though fungicides and rotation of crops are effective means of protecting oats, they have largely failed with wheat and barley.

PROTEIDS AS FOODS.

Proteids are nitrogenous substances, built up in the first instance by plants from simple inorganic salts, and animals are thus ultimately dependent on plants for them. Liebig, who first studied the changes of such foods, believed that the proteid of the diet remained unaltered as it slipped from the alimentary canal and took its place in the living tissue, where he thought it was used up during the mechanical activity of the organs. What takes place, however, is now known to be very much more complex. The proteid molecule itself is a structure made up of twenty or more smaller molecular groups, themselves of considerable complexity. There is further reason to believe that proteids differ a good deal among themselves. Liebig's dictum that "vegetables contain the chief constituents of the blood ready formed," and that these go intact into the tissues, has therefore to be modified. Probably different species of animals are characterised by minute chemical differences. Blood from a horse, ox, and man, for instance, can be distinguished by its reactions, showing that in each case it contains somewhat different proteids. The proteid food is therefore probably broken up in digestion into its simple constituents, and rebuilt to the particular plan favoured by the organism. Even in unicellular animals ferments are present able to break down proteid foods in this way. It would seem that, unlike fats or carbohydrates, proteid is not stored up in the body. In the tissues themselves the proteids seems to be broken down by ferments. It is remarkable that in starvation the wasting which occurs falls little on organs essential to life. Thus the heart and nervous system may lose only 3 per cent. of their weight when the muscles lose 30 per cent. In such a case it would seem that the proteid of the muscles is, so to speak, digested, and given as food to the essential organs.

CONCERNING JELLY-FISH.

Although many jelly-fish do not exceed an inch or two in diameter, some attain a large size, having a disc three or four feet in diameter. Borchgrevink, during his Antarctic exploration obtained one weighing 90lb. Although a pale, milky tint is the most prevalent, some jelly-fish are highly coloured in shades of green, blue, brown, and purple, and some deep-sea species have a dark-red colour. A few fresh-water jelly-fish are known, the first being discovered in the Victoria regia tanks at Regent's Park, London. Another has been found in the Central African lakes, perhaps because Tanganyika represents the remnants of a sea which once spread over part of the African continent. Some of the marine forms have a float or bladder, containing much more nitrogen than does air. Usually, jelly-fish live on minute organisms, but the larger forms have been known to capture a full-grown mackerel. Most live near the surface, but some have been found at a depth of 2750 fathoms. A curious thing is that small fish are frequently found associated with the larger jelly-fish. In the North Sea, for instance, young whiting are the constant guests of one species. The little fishes hover round the margin, but on the slightest alarm dart beneath the cavity of the umbrella. The soft structure of jelly-fish makes them very unlikely objects for the collector of fossils, yet their impressions are occasionally found. In China and Japan some species are used as food, preserved with alum or salt. Before use it is soaked in water, cut into small pieces, and flavoured. The umbrella of the jelly-fish, though usually disc-like, may be almost globular, conical, or even cubical. The tentacles may be very short, or as much as 20 yards long. Some are strong and active swimmers.

MAKING INCANDESCENT LAMPS.

The simple and innocent-looking little incandescent lamp really goes through more than 50 operations before completion. The filament began its career as cotton wool, though nothing seems more unlikely. Before leaving the laboratory this cotton wool undergoes many transformations, until it becomes semi-solid, and assumes the appearance of fine macaroni. It is then dried on large drums wound on formers, to give the correct shape, and baked in furnaces for 24 hours—the carbonating process. The filaments have then to be gauged and cut, a very delicate operation, as the slightest deviation from standard seriously affects the lamp. Having reached its final shape, the filament is mounted on to platinum wire, and hard carbon deposited over the junction by an ingenious process. Thus prepared, the filament is subjected to exhaustive tests, and if it passes its examination is sent on to the glass-blowing department, in which it is sealed up in the glass bulb. The whole of the air is then exhausted from the bulb, and the lamp passes through another series of tests for its voltage and candle-power. So careful are the best makers to produce a uniform and reliable lamp, that even at this stage it often happens that one lamp in three is rejected.

ALCOHOL AS FUEL.

On the Continent and in America rapid progress is being made in the use of alcohol as a motor fuel, though in England excise restrictions still impede advance. An American expert in the "Electrical World," writing on the alcohol engine for isolated plants, thinks that the same form of vapouriser that has been used with petrol will satisfy the conditions of denatured alcohol, except that this must receive a preliminary heating to give it the volatility possessed by petrol at ordinary temperatures. He expects that within two or three years denatured alcohol will be distributed at a price to compete with petrol, especially in densely populated districts, where oil distribution has been so greatly improved and cheapened. Alcohol is specially applicable to small isolated plants. Preliminary heating of the vapouriser can be readily contrived by using the exhaust gases.

HISTORY OF THE DAHLIA.

The dahlia, one of the most prized of garden flowers, was only introduced into England about the beginning of the nineteenth century. It is a native of Mexico, and appears to be first mentioned in a Spanish history of that country about 1651. It is referred to as growing among the mountains; its native name, acocotli, is given, and the roots are recommended as a powerful medicine. It is next described by Menonville in 1787, a French botanist, who undertook on behalf of his country to purloin the cochineal insect from the Spaniards. On this dangerous mission he visited Guaxaca, and was struck by the beauty of the dahlias in the suburbs of that city. The genus was scientifically defined in 1790 from varieties flowering at Madrid, and named after Andrew Dahl, a Swedish botanist. In 1802 three dahlias were sent to Paris, and this is perhaps the beginning of serious garden culture of the plant in Europe. The first specimen was introduced into England by Lady Holland, from Madrid, in 1804, and flowered in the succeeding season at Holland House.

AMMUNITION.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—While the echoes of the mimic war at the various Easter encampments are still in our ears, it is surely high time that our military authorities were taking steps to supply the ammunition necessary for our defence. In the event of war between our mother land and any of the great Powers of Europe, Asia, or America, where would we be? To a certainty the trade routes to Australia would be interrupted, if not entirely blocked; at all events, for munitions of war, and even if we got partial supplies, it would be at an enormous cost. True, we may have large stocks on hand, but it is equally true that cordite, dynamite, gun cotton, and other high explosives deteriorate and lose their efficiency after being stored for a length of time. Besides, in modern warfare, with quick-firing guns, magazine rifles, and other modern weapons of destruction, the limit of efficiency is the ability to supply ammunition fast enough, and plentifully enough, and also of the best quality. One of the lessons of the Japanese war was, strike home quickly and heavily. Are we prepared even to defend ourselves effectually? A little incident to show how the Japs, prepared for their struggle with Russia:—Some months before war was declared, Dr. Shimose and some assistants went from Japan to Nobel's dynamite works, in the West of Scotland, and studied and experimented with different explosives and their ingredients. The result was shimose, a smokeless powder of great efficiency for heavy guns, etc. In Australia we have the raw material of all known explosives, more or less abundantly. It might be said it would not pay us to make our own ammunition. Well, the same might be said of all kinds of insurance, etc. Besides, there is a constant demand for explosives in the mining industry. Much more might be written on this question. Hoping to arouse the attention of those entrusted with our defence, also that some abler and more influential pen will take the matter up,

I am, etc.,
Bulli. J. M.

The great danger from Influenza is of its resulting in pneumonia. This can be obviated by using Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It not only cures Influenza, but counteracts any tendency of the disease towards pneumonia.—Advt.

Questions relative to fan[illegible] keeping, diseases, etc., should [illegible] cons," "Herald" Office.

J.W.H.—Leg weakness in adult fowls [illegible] cured. The remedial measures usually [illegible] to rub the legs with tincture of [illegible] allow plenty of straw and dry grass in [illegible] and pen. Your feeding is correct.

Inquirer.—The highest egg production in any [illegible] for a pen of six fowls in the 12 months was 1481, made by Walker's Langshans at Hawkesbury College last test. White Leghorns followed with just one egg less at Gatton College (Q.) at the competition which concluded on the 31st ult.

A.P.—If the lumps on the fowls' legs are of a grey, chalky nature, it is scaly legs. Two or three dressings of kerosene, and afterwards a washing with warm, soapy water, will effect a cure.

Poultry men who exhibited at the late Royal Show will be interested to know that the officials of the society have been engaged during the latter portion of the present week preparing the cheques for those who were fortunate in securing prizes.

With new-laid eggs at 2s a dozen, and a prospect of continued high prices, there is scarcely a doubt that many will be increasing their stocks, and others new to poultry-keeping will be giving it a trial. For the best results good laying strains are essential, a large selection of which will be offered at Mr. C. J. Turner's and the Poultry Farmers' Co-operative sales on Wednesday next. Both firms have full catalogues.

Mr. Roberts, hon. secretary of the Fanciers' Association of New South Wales, forwards the schedule of the third annual show, to be held in the Royal Agricultural Society's poultry pavilion, Moore Park, beginning on May 29. Poultry have got 183 classes, pigeons 166. Canaries and other cage birds are liberally treated. Messrs. Wright, M'Donnell, Rowewell, Messervy, Campbell, Holmes, Hadlington, and Waters make the awards in the poultry section.

The annual general meeting of the Poultry Club will be held this evening in the School of Arts, Pitt-street. The business is to adopt the report and balance-sheet and elect officers for the current year. The new nominations for the committee are, Messrs. Giles, Dart, Maude, and Hoddinott.

The Wagga Poultry and Pigeon Society's third show is to be held on June 12 and 13. Sixty classes are scheduled for the popular breeds of fowls. In addition to the prize-money, which is liberal, a gold medal is offered by W. H. Paling and Co. for the best bird in the show. Mr. W. Wilson is hon. secretary.

The prediction in this column four months ago that poultry breeders might expect very high prices ruling in winter for eggs has thus early proved correct. In April last year the ruling figures for new-laids were from 1s 5d to 1s 10d per dozen, while for the present April already 2s has been recorded in the "Herald," and for small choice lots of a few dozen as much as 2s 2d was received at the auction sales on Friday last. Poultrymen who desire to see how they are favoured in this country with good prices have only to turn to last Tuesday's "Herald." The London correspondent there states that had there been any Australian eggs on the market in March, they could have been sold for 10s the long hundred, or equal to 1s a dozen, just half that obtaining here. It is well known that when March arrives eggs decline in England; at the same time, taking the year round, this article in Sydney averages a higher price than in London. This week's prices are: Adelaide, 1s 3d to 1s 4d; Melbourne, 1s 3d to 1s 4d; Sydney, 1s 9d to 2s.

Now and again at country shows specimens are met with in some classes which would do credit to the metropolitan exhibitions, and are sometimes very little thought of by the owners. At the late Mudgee show Mr. Jones, of that town, exhibited and won in good Leghorn and Wyandotte classes, and was assured by the judge that were the winners exhibited at some of the big events they would get into the prize-list. Mr. Jones took the hint, exhibited both birds at Bathurst against the best Sydney breeders, and secured first in Brown Leghorn cockerels, and first in a class of 13 Silver Wyandotte pullets, beating the Royal Sydney winner.

Every society, agricultural or other, attempts to get the best judges available, but no matter how successful, satisfaction to every exhibitor is never secured. Perhaps the Royal Agricultural Society is more sensitive to these little troubles than it should be. At any rate, for the past show one poultry judge was brought from Queensland, and one from Victoria. The usual criticism followed, but this time with a semblance of justification, seeing that the first prize Wyandotte at the Royal, in a class of 23 entries, only got v.h.c. in a worse class of 13 at Bathurst; while the winning Silver Wyandotte hen at the Royal, in a smaller class at Bathurst, had to take a lower position. Many other awards made at the Royal by the visiting judges were also reversed at Bathurst, including the winning White Leghorn pullet, which was relegated to h.c.

Bathurst had for many years been noted for its really excellent show, arising from the fact of good prize-money, and earnest endeavour to always get competent judges. Last week's display was one of the largest and best, possibly only equalled by the Royal Show. Black Orpingtons were good classes, a small but good cock winning for Devine, with Glass second; the latter in a class of 10 hens easily secured first, and in a better lot of 18 cockerels won the championship. Bonaventure, Battey, and Blanch securing the other prizes. There were 16 pullets, the judge here not being so correct in his selection. Battey and Blanch won. Dart, Bonaventure, Blanch, Forster, and Maude won in the other colours—all good. Wyandottes were not large classes, the well-known suburban breeders including Hemsworth, Bennett, Forster, Bonaventure, Bull, Devine, Chippendale, Wynne, and Jones, securing most of the prizes. Leghorns made a show in themselves: Littlewood, Forster, Nelson, Jones, Godfrey, and Bright and Thompson had the best Browns. Whites were the biggest display. There was an extraordinary class for White cockerels, both for quality and numbers. Nelson had easily the best in a lot of 22, Deveson second. There were 17 pullets, a difficult lot to judge, but the best was selected. Deveson, Divine, and Adams had the best of the other colours. Game were more numerous and better than in Sydney. Sewell was successful in Indians, Bonaventure and Gow doing best in British and colonial Game. Dabbs showed some good Indian runner and Buff Orpington ducks, and won, Hemsworth, Agnew, Caro, and Dart also securing prizes in this section.

EGG-LAYING COMPETITION.

The "Sydney Morning Herald" and "Sydney Mail" egg-laying competition has now entered on the final week, and from the figures submitted below competitors can form a pretty accurate idea of their position at its close on Tuesday evening next. From the commencement of the test in May last, there has never been a bad week's laying, every breed participating in the excellent results. Good as they are, the average would have been still higher but for the fact that for the past four months, although the averages were made up for 60 pens, but 59 were doing the laying, three hens in pen 35 having been taken away sick, and not replaced, the others not producing an egg for the past seven weeks. A number of the competing pens have already been sold at high figures. Appended is the laying for the week up to Thursday evening, and totals:—

	Week ending April 25.	Total.
Miss Kemmis, W. Leghorns	17	1,471
W. Wynn, W. Wyandottes	17	1,435
C. W. Bannister, W. Leghorns	18	1,408
T. T. Casey, W. Wyandottes	15	1,394
B. J. Beaumont, W. Leghorns	2	1,389
Mrs. W. J. Dennis, S. Wyandottes	13	1,385
Fletcher and Hoskyns, W. Leghorns	7	1,364
F. J. Powney, Brn. Leghorns	7	1,355
C. J. Green, Buff Orpingtons	16	1,338
E. T. Griffiths, W. Leghorns	5	1,336
W. Price, W. Leghorns	11	1,335
G. Pitman, Blk. Orpingtons	12	1,321
H. A. Jones, Blk. Orpingtons	2	1,310
W. Haydon, W. Leghorns	4	1,307
Ontario Egg Farm, W. Leghorns	4	1,306
G. Wright, Blk. Orpingtons	10	1,291
G. Woods, Brn. Leghorns	3	1,281
Mrs. J. Spinner, Blk. Orpingtons	17	1,261
Johnson Bros., S. Wyandottes	15	1,260
W. Robertson, Brn. Leghorns	11	1,255
T. A. Hutchinson, Andalusians	13	1,258
P. J. Ahern, W. Leghorns	5	1,253
N. B. Ralston, S. Wyandottes	15	1,240
Bright and Thompson, Brn. Leghorns	9	1,238
C. W. Bannister, Blk. Orpingtons	17	1,227
J. Campbell, S. Wyandottes	20	1,227
A. Robertson, W. Leghorns	3	1,216
N. Day, Blk. Orpingtons	8	1,210
D. W. Albone, S. Wyandottes	12	1,200
C. B. Hunt, Houdans	14	1,189
G. Whittaker, Blk. Orpingtons	6	1,188
D. Little, Blk. Orpingtons	10	1,188
R. Rhodes, Minorcas	3	1,174
Mrs. Blacklow, Blk. Orpingtons	11	1,168
E. P. Gladwin, S. Wyandottes	13	1,167
Fuller Bros., W. Leghorns	4	1,149
H. G. M'Kittrick, S. Wyandottes	15	1,142
R. E. Upward, S. Wyandottes	4	1,137
Mrs. Hindes, Blk. Orpingtons	6	1,127
F. V. Wikner, W. Leghorns	0	1,122
H. G. Dennis, Blk. Orpingtons	5	1,119
V. Morris, Minorcas	9	1,118
M. Blanch, W. Leghorns	7	1,097
F. P. Hobbs, S. Wyandottes	8	1,087
D. S. Gordon, Blk. Orpingtons	11	1,080
Mrs. Blacklow, W. Leghorns	5	1,064
S. Wilson, W. Leghorns	7	1,061
W. Wynn, W. Leghorns	[illegible]	1,040
D. B. Bannister, Blk. Orpingtons	[illegible]	1,026
H. P. Keating, Blk. Orpingtons	7	1,000
Mrs. A. A. Johnston, S. Wyandottes	12	988
Godfrey and Doyle, W. Leghorns	4	977
R. R. Brown, Blk. Orpingtons	8	918
W. C. Murray, W. Wyandottes	6	907
R. Ahern, Buff Orpingtons	5	[illegible]
C. H. B. Dagnall, Blk. Orpingtons	7	[illegible]
W. F. Jupe, S. Wyandottes	11	[illegible]
W. F. Doyle, S. Wyandottes	6	[illegible]
Jones and Reid, Buff Orpingtons	6	[illegible]
W. E. Hooney, Langshans	9	[illegible]

THE LITHGOW VALLEY.

IMPORTANT INDUSTRIAL CENTRE

HOME OF THE IRON AND STEEL INDUSTRY.

LARGE COAL AND COKE PRODUCER.

GROWTH OF TOWN AND POPULATION.

HANDICAP OF THE GREAT ZIG-ZAG.

(BY OUR SPECIAL REPORTER.)

I.

"You charge the people of New South Wales with a want of enterprise. What nonsense it is to talk like that, when you learn that we were 13 years trying to pierce these mountains with a railway. Want of enterprise! You never had to face such difficulties in Victoria, and if you had, you would not have done better."

The speaker was Sir John Robertson; the persons to whom the remark was addressed were Mr. (afterwards Sir) Graham Berry and Mr. W. Collard Smith, leading protectionists of Victoria; the year, 1882; and the place, a Pullman dining-car, brought to a standstill in the middle of the great Zig-Zag.

The little party had just dined in the stationary car; the dinner was an excellent one, and served up hot. Sir John had been a most genial host, until, glancing at that day's issue of the "Sydney Morning Herald," he read the speeches delivered the previous evening by Messrs. Berry and W. Collard Smith, in fulfilment of their mission from Victoria, to make a protectionist rally in Sydney, the stronghold of freetrade, by establishing a Protectionist Association. His (Sir John's) choler rose on reading Mr. Berry's statement:—"The people of New South Wales have shown a lamentable want of enterprise. The colony possesses great natural resources, but you have not tried to develop them." The charge was reiterated by Mr. W. Collard Smith, who declared that if Victoria had the natural advantages possessed by New South Wales, the southern colony would outstrip its mother by leaps and bounds.

"I quite admit," observed Sir John, "that your people are energetic and resourceful—too resourceful in some respects. Look into that valley, and you see the natural industries of coal-hewing and iron-manufacturing proceeding side by side." The speaker pointed to the little hive of industry embraced in Eskbank and Lithgow, whence the smoking chimneys and escaping steam indicated considerable activity.

"We don't want to establish any Polar bear industries in this colony," continued Sir John, an allusion to the fact that the people of Victoria were heavily taxed, to keep two men and boy employed in a cork factory that had to import its raw material from abroad. When the Victorian visitors subsequently went through the Esbank ironworks, they freely confessed that there were the makings of a "miniature Birmingham" at Lithgow.

Nearly a quarter of a century has passed away since the writer was a witness of the foregoing incident, and though Lithgow has progressed much since then, it requires a great stretch of imagination to regard it as a miniature Birmingham.

GROWTH OF LITHGOW.

Lithgow, which embraces Eskbank (that name was merely given to a railway station erected on the eastern end of the township of Lithgow), was incorporated in 1889, and was a very small place, as compared with what it is to-day. Now it possesses its own gasworks, the illuminant being produced from coal hewn on the outskirts of the town. In this respect, Lithgow is far differently situated to Wollongong, which, though situated in the centre of the finest gas-producing mines of Australia, has to import coal from Newcastle for gas-making purposes. The water supply of Lithgow is claimed to be second to none in the State. Certainly, the pressure from a hydrant is sufficient to batter down a brick wall, because the reservoir is built up in a gulch of the Blue Mountains, at a considerable height, with a tremendous depth of water at the crest of the dam. Woe betide a fire, when the Lithgow Fire Brigade gets to work on it.

Six years ago there were 940 dwellings in Lithgow, which includes Eskbank, and a population, all told, of 5200. In those six years the number of dwellings has increased to 1217, whilst the population now numbers 7500. That Lithgow is moving steadily forward is shown by the fact that for the 12 months ending last March, 138 new buildings have been erected, and that 40 more are in course of erection. There is not an empty house in the municipality. This is not regarded with equanimity by the unfortunate men who tramp into Lithgow looking for work. Camping out during a bleak westerly is no joke under the shadow of the Blue Mountains.

It is learned from Mr. Thomas Evans, the courteous town clerk, that in 1901 a 6d rate yielded £642; whilst a 1s rate to-day produces £2458. Some 23 miles of streets, roads, and drains are kept in good order by the council. This embraces 12 councillors for the four wards into which the municipality is divided. Their deliberations take place in a plain, but substantial, building, a portion of which embraces a fine hall, suitable for public entertainments.

WAGES OF THE WORKPEOPLE.

Roughly speaking, it is estimated that £3000 are paid away in wages every fortnight by the six collieries, iron and steel works, ore smelting works of the Great Cobar, Limited, and the Lloyd Copper Mining Company; also the pottery works and tweed mills. This sum does not, of course, include the wages earned by the employees of merchants, shopkeepers, and others engaged in business.

But the business activity of Lithgow is not due solely to the purchasing power of its own residents. The township is largely supported by the custom of people residing at Bowenfels, Marangaroo, Wallerawang, Hartley Vale, Hartley, and Clarence Siding, on the Blue Mountains, and also by the large body of miners and mechanics engaged by the Commonwealth Oil and Shale Company, in its huge undertaking to tap the immense shale deposit of the Wolgan Valley at Capertee. The extent and value of the latter custom alone may be judged from the fact that there are said to be nearly 800 men employed on those works.

The financial interests of the business men and wage-earners are looked after by branches of the Commercial Banking Company of Sydney, the E.S.A. Bank, a Government Savings Bank, and a branch of the Barrack-street Savings Bank. The business of the town is principally confined to one thoroughfare, known as Main-street, and a very busy scene is presented on a Saturday evening, when the coalminers, with their wives and children, also the workmen employed on the iron and steel works, and the ore-smelting plants are out shopping.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

Reared in a climate very cold in winter, and often warm in the summer, but free from the atmospheric moisture of Sydney, Lithgow children generally are sturdy and rosy-cheeked, and are said to be remarkably free from infantile complaints. Three Public schools are provided, one in the centre of the town having an attendance of 1000 children, whilst those at Oakey Park and Cooerwull are attended each by about 100 scholars.

INFLUX OF WORKMEN NOT DESIRED.

It must not be imagined from the foregoing remarks respecting the activity prevailing in the coal and coke industry; in the night and day operations of the ironworks; the work of erecting the huge blast furnace that is to turn out from 500 to 1000 tons of pigiron per week from Carcoar iron-ore; also the operations of the ore-smelting and pottery works, that Lithgow is prepared to offer employment to an additional number of skilled and unskilled workmen. On the contrary, the coal mines and other industries are fully manned.

"Lithgow is a poor place to be out of work in," observed a man to me whilst I was awaiting an interview with Mr. Pennymore, manager of the new blast furnace being erected by him for William Sandford, Limited. "There's no work to be got here," he added, "and it is pretty rough on a fellow to have to camp out this cold weather." I suggested he might get work at Cobar, where the mines are said to be short of workmen. "How far is it?" and when told about 250 miles, he replied, "That would take over a week to walk. I might be able to 'scale' part of the way on goods trains." The Lithgow tradespeople are not partial to an inrush of workpeople without money, because it results in supplying goods without getting paid for them.

One matter has seriously hampered the progress of Lithgow, and continues to do so, namely, the existence of the Great Zig Zag, and its restriction to the rapid flow of traffic across the Blue Mountains east and west. This, however, is such an important matter, and so closely identified with the future of Lithgow and other western cities and towns, that it will be dealt with in a future article.

WIRE-WEAVERS' DISPUTE.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—As you allowed one side of the above dispute to be given to the readers of your valued paper, I also respectfully ask the favour to try and explain a little of the trouble from a workman's point of view.

Messrs. Lysaght's wire factory is situated at Five Dock, and it costs practically the whole of the workmen fully 2s per week each in tram fare to reach same. The weavers are not paid any stated wage, and have never asked for one. They all work piecework, and during the last 10 days our shift worked, I challenge the management to name even one man that earned 9s on at least two days out of the 10. The majority did not earn even 7s, and many only 5s, and some less than that.

This is the wages earned by men that, in most cases, have been brought up to the business from boys, and practically the whole of the men in the dispute have worked at least close on 12 months.

The men can only work five shifts per week two weeks out of three, and they have to also go to, or return from, work at 12 p.m. two weeks in every three, and I certainly think anyone should sympathise with a married man with a family trying to make ends meet under these circumstances with the pay he obtains.

I am single, and capable of doing an honest day's work anywhere. Yet after 11 months' trial I have earned considerably less than 90s for my last three weeks' work.

The management say the men have broken the arbitration award, and that they (the men) have been fully supplied with material. In answer to this, I know there is no weaver who cannot honestly prove that he has waited hundreds of times for material to work with during the last 12 months, and this, to some extent, accounts for the small wage many are able to earn.

To state my own case. I have had to wait (short intervals) for hundreds of times during the last two months of work, and I lost, collectively, fully an hour and a quarter during the last five hours I worked, and I have never been paid a single penny for time lost through the management being short of boys to keep the men supplied with material to work with, and this shortness of boys and material has been going on for months. Under these circumstances, the men requested the management to keep to the award, or pay them for time lost. They have also asked for a reasonable advance to enable them to earn a living wage. This is a plain statement of facts, and I challenge the management to deny the same. I am, etc.,

WIRE-WEAVER.

TERRIBLE ITCHING SCALP HUMOUR.

CURED BY CUTICURA.

"All of my life I have been troubled more or less with humour in my scalp, but about a year ago it became worse, and my scalp was covered with little sores, which itched so it nearly made me crazy; my hair also began to get dry and fall out. I tried all kinds of hair restorers with no effect, and I was nearly discouraged, but one day I was reading in a paper what the Cuticura Remedies had done for scalp diseases, and I got a cake of Cuticura Soap, a box of Cuticura Ointment, and a vial of Cuticura Resolvent Pills. I used them according to directions, and soon noticed a difference; the tiny sores on my scalp began to heal, the itching stopped, and my hair began to grow thick. I have now no humour on my scalp, and my hair is soft and silky.—Miss Mayzie C. Atkins. East Orleans, Mass., Mar. 20, 1906."

The original of the above testimonial is on file in the office of the Potter Drug and Chemical Corporation.

Reference: R. Towns and Co., Merchants, Sydney, N.S.W.—Advt.

OUR AMERICAN LETTER.

THE SHIPPING SUBSIDY BILL.

NEW YORK, March 24.

The defeat, by indirect means, of the Shipping Subsidy Bill, brings out into sharp relief the ever-increasing difficulty of getting affirmative legislation through Congress. This measure had been promised in the party platforms, both national and State, and had the very earnest support of the President, and of Speaker Cannon. But, beneath the surface, there was a widespread belief that until the Panama Canal is built, and the navy raised into much greater strength, a mercantile navy would be an embarrassment rather than a help; and, further, that while every American dollar, as is now undoubtedly true, can be very profitably employed on shore, it is unwise to encourage them to seek new and less certain ventures. When the time is ripe for it a very few years will create a carrier-navy of any desired magnitude; money will always buy ships, and the main present duty is to lift the country into indisputable financial supremacy. So, by all sorts of temporising, the bill was delayed, and when by spur and whip it was at last pushed through the Lower House, it was too late in the session to carry it also through the Senate; in spite of the most earnest efforts of the President's friends. There was a much larger majority in its favour in the Senate than in the House, and the Senate sat all through the Sabbath Day preceding enforced sine die adjournment on Monday, in order to tire out the Opposition; but under the rule of unlimited debate, one Senator after another talked away two or three hours of time, and, at last, lest all other unpassed bills should fall with it, a three-fifths majority had to confess defeat. If the President chose, he could reconvene both Houses in special session, and the bill would then go through. But special sessions are resorted to only in matters of the gravest moment; and no one believes that this bill is in that class. A little thrill of annoyance, however, has vibrated through many a patriotic breast at a formal expression of regret from Argentina, coupled with the announcement that she herself will now provide a direct subsidised line to New York. Japan, too, will hasten into the abandoned field, and no doubt many of her excessive population can thus find remunerative employment. Meanwhile, although it defeated this trifling subsidy appropriation, Congress authorised very large additions to the navy, including two battleships, stronger, if possible, than the Dreadnought and the Satsuma. All the new navy are to be kept in the very pink of condition—practically on a war basis—and five of the great battleships are at this moment at one yard alone, undergoing all sorts of alterations and additions. The expenditure for actual gunnery practice is to be larger than ever, and the promotions for successful gunnery made more attractive—up to pay of 1200 dollars a year and board—which would enable a thrifty man, after 20 years' service, to retire with a fair competence.

THE FINANCIAL PANIC.

The panic of 1907, which arrived a week ago, had strong individual features, and will, probably, for a century to come, be carefully studied by economists. Like all real panics, it was entirely unexpected, for, during the past six months, danger-signals had been hoisted by the banks and exchanges, and business men of all grades had really heeded them and put reefs in their sails. Yet, in 28 hours, during two sessions of the New York Exchange, in "gilt-edged" securities alone—that is, those that have been "listed," and are "called" each day from the rostrum for bids—a hundred millions of pounds sterling was knocked off the nominal value; and, sympathetically, the special securities of the exchanges of other cities and, of course, all "non-listed" securities also suffered, and in many cases became unsaleable at any price. The lowest estimate of this temporary depreciation is a thousand millions of dollars; the real figure would be, perhaps, 50 per cent. higher. And yet there was not a single failure, even of a small broker, and the rebound from the fall carried prices of some stocks, the Steel Trust, for example, back to the point from which they fell. There has since been a second slight fall, no doubt, because some men, badly hit, are now cutting away wreckage, and liquidating their accounts; but if depreciation continues, most people believe that it will be gradual and will be contested, step by step, by investors who think that the bottom has at last been reached. It is very plain, however, that the panic has been confined exclusively to corporate securities; and its influence upon general business will be simply such as is caused by the cutting off from such corporations, consequent upon their loss of credit, of the power to extend their operations; and that is by no means so large a factor in the national business as is often assumed.

The real cause of the panic, probably, was the testimony of Mr. E. H. Harriman (who admittedly controls one-sixth of all American railroads), when after months of delay, caused by alleged sickness, the Interstate Commerce Commission at last succeeded in putting him upon the rack. He confessed that in one typical "deal," he and his associates, using not their own, but corporate, funds, had bought a railroad, and then put it into a greater combination at a cash profit to themselves of 6,000,000 dollars, and had next issued 40,000,000 of bonds upon the combination, sold them to themselves at 65, and then resold them to insurance and trust companies at 90 and 95. Of nearly 90,000,000 dollars of capital nominally added to the combined properties, only 22,000,000 dollars represented actual cash spent in rails and rolling stock, the remainder was what Americans call "water." The purpose of this fictitious appreciation was twofold—to make investors believe that some day the engraved certificates would be worth the value printed upon them; and, secondly, to be able to claim before investigating committees that shippers and passengers must pay high enough rates to yield a fair return upon the "capital" apparently invested. The first effect of all this upon the public seemed to be simply a benumbment of mind—stupefaction; and then many men at the same time recovered their faculties, and hastened forthwith to sell corporate securities at almost any sacrifice. But only 4 per cent. of the affected securities changed hands; 96 per cent. remained in the very same strong-boxes, and there is, therefore, a good deal of truth in the current popular saying, "This is a rich man's panic—it can't hurt me."

RAILROAD MANAGERS AND THE PANIC.

There is another theory of the panic—that it was specially planned by the railroad managers in order to frighten the President and the public into stopping political agitation against corporations. Those familiar with the mental operations of great capitalists, however, give little credit to such a suggestion. Still, the panic having arrived, these magnates have, wisely, used it as an illustration of what may be expected when the State legislatures have cut down rates to a paltry 5 or 6 per cent. return upon actual capital; for then, no doubt, shares of many inflated railroads will, indeed, fall much lower, and many unwise small investors, including women and orphans, will suffer sadly. To which, naturally, the response is that other women and orphans, not investors but consumers, suffer from high rates, and that justice must be done, though the heavens fall. Admittedly, the President is the one man who can exert restraining influence upon either the public or the legislature, but even this is perhaps now doubtful. One after another, the State legislatures are cutting down passenger rates to 2 cents. a mile; and where the railroads have been foolish enought, in retaliation, to cut down service the legislatures are preparing in turn new methods of annoyance. Before leaving for Europe, Mr. Pierpont Morgan (who had left a gridiron dinner in a "huff" only a fortnight before because of a speech made by Mr. Roosevelt), went to Washington, made his peace, and arranged, as he supposed, for a conference at the White House, between the six governing heads of the Great American Railroad systems and the president. But, after he sailed, it came out that these gentlemen would not go to Washington upon a mere verbal intimation that they would be received; they thought the President should send them a written invitation. But the national President thought differently; and, as the situation soon became acute, the railway presidents have visited the White House, one by one, and separately pleaded for aid. If what they heard had been satisfactory, the world would soon have known it, and the inference is therefore that the President stands firm by his policy of forcing the railroads to give their customers a "fair deal"—treating all persons alike, and reducing rates whenever increased business raises the profit beyond the highest normal return for capital. The one great objection to the President's plan is that it assumes that coined dollars have a fixed value, regardless of the ease or difficulty with which the metal in the coins is produced. If the purchasing power of the nominal dollar decreases, wages and material and property of all kinds will rise, but in this special case the property-owners will be limited to merely the usual rate of return upon a fixed principal, whose amount has thus been based upon a steadily depreciating standard. On the other hand, if the dollar itself gained in purchasing power, the public would suffer. For a generation to come, however, these are academic rather than practical questions.

COMPLAINTS AGAINST THE RAILWAYS.

The worst count in the popular indictment of the railroads is that they have been inefficient. Business for 10 years past has been growing at a phenomenal rate; year after year there have been disastrous blockades of traffic on nearly all the principal routes, caused mainly by a famine of freight-cars and locomotives; and yet no radically sufficient provision to avoid future congestion has been attempted. One eminent railroad expert says that three thousand millions of dollars, intelligently and honestly spent, are needed to bring the railroads up to the needs of the country, even as they exist to-day. Last year all over the west many millions of perishable products rotted on the land because it was impossible to get them transported to market, and the owners of these products during the winter have had to burn up their fences and buildings for fuel, simply because the railroads had not cars enough to haul coal to where it was needed. At bottom, it is grievances such as this which have inflamed the feeling against the roads to the danger-point; and now, when, if they could, the roads would gladly provide adequate accommodation, they find it difficult, or impossible to raise the needed capital because the rascality of past management has well-nigh totally destroyed the confidence of investors. The only feasible direct remedy is publicity of all railroad expenditures, and a rigorous system of Government inspection, but unless special legislation also makes it possible to separate the securities now issued for improvements honestly made from the fictitious, older securities issued on the same property, even this will be ineffective. The President is also desirous of energetically working out General Grant's favourite project of a gigantic system of internal waterways. Fortunately, Nature has already done most of the work; from all the shores of the great lakes, via the Chicago canal and the Mississipi, the country has a north and south channel through its very centre, and branching eastward from that, canals to the Atlantic, with hundreds of side-feeders, are entirely practicable. New York State, at her own cost, is spending 100,000,000dol. in enlarging the famous Erie Canal, which gives a channel 500 miles long from the lakes to New York Harbour, and which, undoubtedly, has been the direct cause of her commercial supremacy. Everywhere else the influence of the railroads has successfully hindered all attempts at canal development, and has even in some cases caused canals already built to pass into disuse. An extra hundred millions a year spent annually by Congress in this sort of work would soon open out the main lines of the waterway, and the subsidiary channels could be added afterwards—possibly at the expense of the communities specially benefited.

A NEW CONSTITUTION.

Oklahoma, the youngest of the States, has been framing a constitution for herself—an occasion which gives the citizens of the older sister-States a fair chance to see what the ideals of the up-to-date pioneer American really are. Within a very few years this most prosperous of communities has attracted a million inhabitants, has built handsome cities, and is financially so sound that recently one of her banks outbid all American rivals for the temporary loan of a few millions to the Philippines. What do men who can do all that want? First and foremost, the "initiative and referendum," and next a prohibition law, forbidding not only the manufacture and sale of liquors but even their introduction under any circumstances within the borders of the State. Woman-suffrage was defeated by the thinnest of majorities, but the vote in favour of the direct election of senators by the people instead of by the Legislature was almost unanimous. Railroads and trusts are restrained by many pages of commands and prohibition; straight and narrow indeed is the way in which they must walk. They can own only just so much land as is absolutely necessary for the conduct of their business; their books are to be open to inspection at all times; injuries to employees must be paid for, even when due to the negligence of fellow-servants; and the nominal capital must not be greater than the actual cash expended. The groundwork for State ownership of coal and other mines is laid by the creation of a commission to negotiate the purchase of such property already in private hands. These are the most salient features of the proposed instrument, and, if voted upon favourably by the people—as is probable—it will come to Congress and the President for final approval. The prohibition clause, in so far as it forbids citizens from other States sending liquors in "original packages" to Oklahoma customers, is a direct challenge to the decision of the Supreme Court that under the national Constitution such trade must be permitted, but if accepted by Congress, a new factor would come into the case, and the "judge made" law-forbidding absolute restriction might be successfully circumvented. Part of the new State is the so-called Indian Territory, peopled almost entirely by Indians, and Congress has already made it a condition of union that in this region there should be prohibition for 21 years to come, and presumably, therefore, will also do what it can to give the entire State the benefit of a like regime. All the other States have adopted very brief constitutions—no doubt under a conviction that their fundamental rights and liberties had been sufficiently guarded by the Constitution of the United States—and this Oklahoma instrument, which is really a full code of laws, will curtail very greatly the power of the local legislatures, for, of course, a statute is invalid unless it agrees with the organic law. This constitution, for example, limits railroad passenger rates to 2 cents a mile; and to raise them would require an amendment to the Constitution—necessarily a cumbrous and troublesome remedy, and involving a delay of at least three years time.

FIGHTING IN HONDURAS.

Two days ago American marines were landed at three storm points in Honduras, in order to protect the property of American and foreign residents. The war now raging between the tiny Central American Republics is none the less bitter because the combatants number only a few hundreds; and it often happens that resident Europeans take sides and become objects of even a more intense hatred than a native antagonist. And then, if harm comes to them or their property, there follows a huge bill for indemnity, enforced by a cruiser or two. Intervention is made in this case very reluctantly; and, if possible, Mexico—that is, Porfirio Diaz—will be coaxed to become jointly responsible for whatever may be done, thus avoiding in some degree the appearance of direct dictation. Of course, the matter at bottom resolves itself into the old difficulty—that this country refuses to allow European Powers to meddle in American family quarrels, and yet does not wish to act the policeman, and keep such quarrels within due limits. No doubt, at the approaching Hague Conference the United States will be pushed hard to make some definite declaration of its policy; and therefore extreme care is now taken to avoid action that might commit it to a given line of action. If Mexico, a nearer neighbour to the belligerents than this country, should now step to the front and order the war to stop—a perfectly feasible move—an awkward precedent would be evaded. In Cuba, the American occupation at Cuban expense seems to have restored peace, and month by month stable conditions are bringing a revival of prosperity. So, too, in San Domingo, what is practically an American administration is, financially, very successful. But the great mass of Americans look askance at these forced moves, and would gladly see such protectorates abolished.

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"The Religion of Ancient Rome," by Cyril Bailey (Archibald Constable and Co.'s "Religions Ancient and Modern").
"The Shore of Dreams and other Verses," by Evelyn Threlfall (George Allen).
"The Power of Gems and Charms," by George H. Bratley (Gay and Bird).
"Love Letters of Famous People," chosen and arranged by Freeman Bunting (Gay and Bird).
"The Greatest Truth," by Horatio W. Dresser (Gay and Bird).
"Poems of Peace," by Ella Wheeler Wilcox (Gay and Bird's "Simple Truth Series").
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"Letters from the Far East," by Sir Charles Eliot (Edward Arnold).
"Church and State in France, 1300-1907," by Arthur Galton (Edward Arnold).
"Tippoo Tib; the story of his career in Central Africa," narrated from his own accounts by Dr. Heinrich Brode, translated by H. Havelock, with preface by Sir Charles Eliot (Edward Arnold).
"At the Works; a study of a manufacturing town," by Lady Bell (Edward Arnold).
"Be Strong: Lessons for young lives," by Bishop Welldon (The Religious Tract Society).
"The Religion of a Layman, being studies of various subjects—the serious reflections of a long life; together with a Review of the Westminster Confession of Faith" (Waddie and Co.).
"Atonement in Literature and Life," by Charles Allen Dinsmore (Archibald Constable and Co.).
"Grove's Dictionary of Music and Musicians," edited by J. A. Fuller Maitland. In five volumes. Vol. III. (Macmillan and Co.).
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"Orthodox Socialism," by James E. Le Rossignol (Thomas Y. Crowell and Co.).
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"Armageddon, 190—" by Seestern; translated by G. Herring, with an introduction by Admiral Fremantle (Kegan Paul, Trench, Trubner, and Co.).
"Conflict," by Constance Smedley (Constable's Indian and Colonial Library).
"Friday the 13th," by Thomas W. Lawson (William Heinemann).
"The House of Rest," by Mrs. Fred. Reynolds (Bell's Indian and Colonial Library, through Messrs. George Robertson and Co.).
"Amazement," by James Blyth (Long's Colonial Library, through Messrs. George Robertson and Co.).
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"The Shulamite," by Alice and Claude Agnew (Unwin's Library).
"Simple Simon," by E. Maria Albanesi (Newnes' "Sixpenny Novels Illustrated").
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DR. SHELDON'S NEW DISCOVERY is a healing expectorant mixture. It cures Coughs and Colds by relieving the congestion and inflammation, and by removing the cause of nervous irritability, which is always the primary cause of diseases of this nature. Used as directed, it will at once reach the cause of the disease, and by its specific action upon the secretions will bring the whole system under its influence and speedily effect a cure. It should always be promptly and regularly used whenever a cold is contracted, and in all coughs due to neglected colds or disorders of the lungs or bronchial tubes. In stomach cough (that is, coughs due to disorder of the stomach), it should be used in connection with Dr. Sheldon's Digestive Tabules, for in these cases oft times the cough is simply a symptom, and not directly associated with the usual disorders of the respiratory organs. In the use of this Remedy we wish to urge the necessity of REGULARITY and CARE. A cough allowed to take care of itself often goes on, as it is well known, to a chronic condition, which results in LUNG DISEASE, BRONCHITIS, CONSUMPTION, etc. Very few cases, however, do this unless neglected. Dr. Sheldon's New Discovery begins its work PROMPTLY, and RELIEVES IMMEDIATELY, but unless its use is continued, cannot be expected to act as a remedy. By stimulating and correcting the secretion, it rapidly restores to a healthy condition, removes congestion, and relieves all symptoms BY REMOVING THEIR CAUSE.

DIRECTIONS FOR THE USE OF DR. SHELDON'S NEW DISCOVERY.

An ordinary Cough, the result of a cold, should be treated by teaspoonful doses of Dr. Sheldon's New Discovery four times a day. If the coughing is very severe, this quantity may be increased until six to eight teaspoonsful are taken in 24 hours. In the treatment of all Coughs, care must be taken to avoid sudden chilling or cooling of the body. The feet must be kept dry and warm, and warm clothing should be worn. In all cases of Coughs and Colds it is a good plan, if there be any tendency towards indigestion, to take one of Dr. Sheldon's Digestive Tabules after each meal. They will correct any tendency towards indigestion and prove very desirable in enhancing the usefulness of this Remedy.

FOR BRONCHITIS.

This disease is due to an inflammation of the lining membrane of the bronchial tubes. It may be Chronic or Acute. In Acute cases there are signs of acute inflammation, viz:—pain, fever, etc. Chronic Bronchitis may be mistaken for Consumption, but may be distinguished from the latter by the absence (in Bronchitis) of the "Hectic Fever," as well as by the character of the expectoration. When the disease affects the smallest bronchial tubes it is called Capillary Bronchitis, and in this form is frequently fatal to children. Bronchitis often results from colds, coughs, and the inhaling of irritating gases, sudden chilling, etc. The treatment to follow should be to quiet the inflammation in Acute cases, and in Chronic cases (which are most frequent) the effort should be to restore normal, healthy action of the parts. Dr. Sheldon's New Discovery is particularly valuable in this disease, whether in Acute or Chronic forms. By curing the Cough, which is always present, one of the principal sources of irritation is removed, while by correcting the secretions the principal parts are put in the best possible condition for healing. Dr. Sheldon's New Discovery should be given in teaspoonful doses four times a day, the last dose upon retiring at night.

ASTHMA.

The word Asthma signifies "laborious breathing." The disease is one manifesting itself by great difficulty in breathing (or "Wheezing" variety) and by a sensation of tightness, or constriction of chest; coughing and expectoration usually present. The disease is usually spasmodic—is a chronic disease, and is not usually considered curable, though great relief can often be obtained, particularly from the spasmodic recurrences. May usually be traced to some irritation, or partial paralysis, of the nerve governing the action of the lungs and throat. The best treatment to pursue is to relieve the spasmodic recurrence of the disease and a correction of the general health. Frequently inhalations of drugs in gaseous form will relieve the condition of the spasmodic constriction. A change of air is often beneficial. However, the greatest and most lasting benefit is accomplished by correcting the diseased condition resulting from the cough always present. Dr. Sheldon's New Discovery will prove an ideal remedy in Asthma, since it exerts a stimulating and healing effect upon the lungs and bronchial tubes, and removes the sources of irritation, which produce the spasmodic recurrence of the disease. Dr. Sheldon's Magnetic Liniment has often proved to be a great assistance in cases of Asthma, acting as a counter irritant to the skin when thoroughly rubbed on the chest.

PNEUMONIA.

Inflammation of the lungs may be caused by exposure to wet or cold, sudden chilling of the body, etc., but in most cases is caused by neglecting an ordinary cold. The symptoms of Pneumonia are chill, fever, dull pain in chest or side, short sharp painful cough, and difficult breathing always present; pulse dull and hard, skin hot and dry. The treatment to be pursued should be prompt and thorough. When a cold is treated with Dr. Sheldon's New Discovery it has never been known to develop into Pneumonia. At the first indication of a tendency towards Pneumonia the effort should be to relieve the inflammation. Give Dr. Sheldon's New Discovery in teaspoonful doses every three hours to control the cough. Rub the chest and back thoroughly with Dr. Sheldon's Magnetic Liniment. Moisten a heavy piece of flannel with it, and bind firmly over chest.

PLEURISY.

Or inflammation of the membrane covering the lungs or inner surface of the chest cavity. May be caused by sudden chilling, cold, or by violent injury to walls of chest. The disease may be Acute or Chronic. In latter cases there may be formed a collection of fluid (serum pus) within chest cavity.

The symptoms in Acute Pleurisy are sharp pain in chest or side—"stitch in the side"—aggravated by deep breathing. Pain usually on one side only. Coughing always present and painful; very little expectoration. In Chronic cases, inability to lie on affected parts, frequently a noticeable increase in size of that side; painful and persistent cough; considerable expectoration; general health extremely bad. Dr. Sheldon's New Discovery will positively cure Acute Pleurisy, and should always be given promptly every two hours in teaspoonful doses. The chest should always be vigorously rubbed with Dr. SHELDON'S MAGNETIC LINIMENT, and hot applications (flannels rung out of hot water) applied over seat of pain, should be used, and should be kept hot by frequently changing. For Chronic cases where fluid has collected, a surgical operation to draw off the fluid may become necessary.

INFLUENZA

should receive prompt and careful attention. It is the outcome of a very severe cold. Great care should be taken to avoid sudden chilling or cooling of the body. The feet should be kept warm and dry, and warm clothing should be worn. Dr. Sheldon's New Discovery should be given in teaspoonful doses every three hours, being sure to take the last dose upon retiring at night. Should pains appear in the chest, Dr. Sheldon's Magnetic Liniment should be applied, and rubbed in vigorously. Great care should be exercised in carefully following the above directions.

CONSUMPTION.

Can consumption be cured? This question is asked daily by thousands of sufferers throughout the land. Investigation has of late years been systematically directed to the solution of this great problem, and the very best medical authorities in the world agree that, in a large measure, this disease is now curable. No other question could possibly be of greater importance as affecting the health of the human race. In calling attention to some of the dangers that constantly present themselves as causes of this disease, we know that in almost every instance Consumption can be traced to a neglected cold.

Day after day, and year after year, instances constantly present themselves where a neglected cold cost a human life. No other cause, in fact, is looked for, yet, is it not a fact that medicines to lessen our liability to severe results are only bought when it becomes absolutely necessary to cure the cold? There is good authority for stating that in this country one adult out of twelve dies of Consumption; and, indeed, so prevalent and so fatal has this disease become that it is dreaded as the great scourge of the race, and yet, in the formative stages, all Pulmonary Complaints may be readily controlled by resorting to Dr. SHELDON'S NEW DISCOVERY, which soothes and strengthens the bronchial tubes, allaying inflammation, and cleansing them and the lungs from all impurities. It is a certain remedy for Coughs and Colds, which, if left to themselves, frequently bring on Pulmonary Complaints.

THE SYMPTOMS OF CONSUMPTION ARE: —Dry hollow cough; pain in apex of lung; fever gradual, frequently intermittent in character; loss of weight and strength; night sweats. Disease usually begins by cold, which, neglected, becomes chronic, gradually resulting in changes, and finally destruction of whole or part of structure of one or both lungs. This disease may be slow in making its appearance, and is frequently mistaken for other diseases. The treatment of Consumption should vary with the conditions present in each case. Special care must be taken to support the strength and, under proper conditions, exercise in open air should be frequently taken whenever the atmosphere, although cold, is dry. The whole effort must be directed to supporting the general health. Eat all the wholesome food you want, and if your stomach is weak and you suffer from Indigestion, take one of Dr. Sheldon's Digestive Tabules after each meal. They digest your food, and thus nourish and build you up, strengthening the system so that it is better able to throw off the disease. Whenever the cough and difficulty in breathing become marked, as is frequently the case, Dr. Sheldon's New Discovery should be taken to relieve the congestion and loosen the secretions. If taken regularly, this remedy affords wonderful relief, and can be relied upon when usual remedies fail. Dose: A teaspoonful every three hours. Continue for weeks, and even months, if necessary.

NERVOUS COUGH

is frequently the result of habit, though it may, however, be caused by an obscure nervous disease, and when such is the case a month's treatment of Dr. Sheldon's Digestive Tabules will prove most beneficial.

HACKING OR TICKLING COUGH

is frequently caused by Catarrh, by an elongated palate, or by congestion or disease of the bronchial tubes or lung. Frequently this cough accompanies the first stages of Consumption. DR. SHELDON'S NEW DISCOVERY will afford immediate relief if given in half teaspoonful doses every hour.

WHOOPING COUGH

may be easily identified by the peculiar cough, and great care should be at once exercised that it does not develop into something more dangerous, such as Pneumonia or Convulsions.

Dr. Sheldon's New Discovery will be found to be particularly good for WHOOPING COUGH. It will loosen the cough and render expectoration easy, and will make the fits of coughing less severe. It should be given in doses as follow, every three hours, until the child improves:—

Children under 2 years .. Half Teaspoonful.
Children of 4 years ... Three-quarter Teaspoonful.
Children over 6 years .. One Teaspoonful.

It is imperative that the child be kept in a warm room and be warmly clothed.

CROUP.

This disease is generally peculiar to children, although it has been known to occur with adults. The disease is due to the inflammation of the mucus membrane of the wind-pipe, which causes it to swell, and is liable to cause suffocation. The symptoms are hoarseness, difficulty in breathing, and a sharp cough. Signs of great distress are very evident. The treatment should be prompt and thorough. Bath the child in warm water, place the feet in water as hot as it can be borne, apply hot applications to the throat, rub the throat and chest with brandy or alcohol.

Dr. Sheldon's New Discovery is a certain cure for Croup, and may be given with the utmost confidence, as it has never been known to fail. It should be given every three hours, until relieved, in the following doses:—

Half Teaspoonful to Children under 2 years.
Three-quarters of a Teaspoonful under 4 years.
One Teaspoonful to Children over 4 years.

If the child does not quickly become relieved, a tent should be made over his cot by means of a sheet, or an open umbrella, over which a sheet should be thrown, and then the steam from a tea-kettle should be allowed to pass in under the sheet, so that the child may inhale the steam. If the child's bowels have been at all constipated, two teaspoonsful of castor oil should be given, also an injection of warm soap suds.

A SORE THROAT often accompanies a cough or cold, but will readily succumb if Dr. Sheldon's New Discovery is given in half teaspoonful does every hour. A flannel cloth should also be moistened with Dr. Sheldon's Magnetic Liniment and bound around the throat. Prompt attention should always be paid to a Sore Throat, for it is dangerous from the fact that the patient is much more susceptible to disease germs of every kind when in that condition.

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... remains to be discovered is the perfect balance between aeroplane and atmosphere, after which propulsion and direction will be easy enough.

FRAUDULENT FOOD SELLERS.

The case of the cordial manufacturer who was fined £2 at the Newtown Police-court on Monday for selling soda water manufactured by himself under the trade mark of another firm again directs attention to the extraordinary leniency of our laws towards the perpetrators of one of the worst and most dangerous kinds of fraud against which society requires protection. In a case of this kind there are two distinct robberies committed, one upon the particular firm whose trade mark is pirated, and the other upon the public, whose money is obtained under false pretences. A manufacturer may spend vast sums of money in establishing the reputation of his goods, upon the strength of which they acquire a special market value. When another takes fraudulent advantage of this by practically intercepting the orders for his goods, and supplying his own instead, it amounts to the same thing as if he actually stole so much of the capital of the one he thus personates. And if the goods so palmed off are inferior, the defrauded manufacturer is further injured by having his dearly-bought reputation destroyed. For this dishonesty the Trade Marks Act only imposes a maximum penalty of five pounds, whereas a man who openly steals sixpence and injures no one beyond the loss of that sum must go to gaol. But the seller of fraudulent food victimises the public in even a more outrageous way than the manufacturer on whose reputation he dishonestly trades. People are by false representation induced to purchase and eat or drink things which, if they knew what they were doing, they might not on any account touch. It is impossible to imagine any kind of fraud worse than that. The confidence man, with his ridiculous story of the rich uncle in Fiji, who gets the money of the unwary by pretending that he is going to give them a share of a sugar plantation, does not act a bit more dishonestly than the seller of a falsely described food, who pretends that his customers are getting one kind of article while he deliberately gives them another. But his swindle is infinitely more dangerous, since it may lead to the injury of his victim's health, as well as the loss of his money. People are getting more at the mercy of food adulterators every day, and the time has come when this form of dishonesty should be met with something more drastic than a fine, which can easily be paid out of the profits of the fraud.

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LIFE IN LONDON AND THEREABOUT.

(CHRONICLED BY HENRY W. LUCY.)

Winston Churchill's Position and Prospects.—Mr. Balfour's Tactics.—Apparition on the Floor of the House of Commons.

WESTMINSTER, March 22.

"As far as Parliamentary debates are concerned," said Mr. Winston Churchill on Monday night, "the Colonial Office may congratulate itself on being an exceedingly fashionable department." It is so to the extent that no night passes without a group of questions being addressed to the Under-Secretary, and, whenever possible, formal debate being raised on affairs concerning his department. For an ambitious and capable young man this is an enviable position. With his chief in the Lords, and an unobtrusive man at that, the Under-Secretary for the Colonies has a prominence in the Commons which exceeds that of the majority of heads of departments. Winston, an exceedingly shrewd young man, perceived this advantage when, on the formation of C. B.'s Government, a place in it was offered him. The Premier opened negotiations with the proposal that he should take the post of Financial Secretary to the Treasury. Though it ranks among the minor offices, only just above an ordinary Lordship of the Treasury it is actually of first rate importance, and often proves a stepping-stone to Cabinet rank. W. H. Smith, starting on his way to be one of the most successful leaders of the House of Commons known to his generation, began as Financial Secretary to the Treasury. So did Mr. Austen Chamberlain, though his subsequent promotion to the Chancellorship of the Exchequer was mainly due to family reasons.

In setting this offer aside, and asking to be sent to the Colonial Office, Mr. Churchill, whose private coffers do not overflow, sacrificed £500 a year. Whilst the Financial Secretary to the Treasury draws £2000, paid quarterly, the salary of the Under-Secretary for the Colonies is only £1500. But it has its compensations, as shown in the prominent position in Parliamentary life reached by the present incumbent. Within 12 months of his joining the Ministry an even greater temptation presented itself. When Mr. Bryce accepted the post of Minister at Washington there were rumours current that Mr. Churchill would succeed him at the Irish Office. These were somewhat tardily denied, and the event seemed to prove that they had no existence in fact. I happen to know on the best authority that the post of Chief Secretary was actually offered to Mr. Churchill before it was passed on to Mr. Birrell. It was a long climb up the ladder for the young Minister. Not only was the salary trebled, but it carried with it a seat in the Cabinet. Moreover, the difficult field of Irish government had strong allurements for a man of a fighting disposition, with a strong belief in himself.

Mr. Churchill asked time to consider the offer, and took it to a length that excited much remark in outside circles where the circumstances were not known. It will be remembered that nearly a month elapsed between Mr. Bryce's nomination to Washington and the announcement that Mr. Birrell would leave the Education Board for the Irish Office. The occasion for the delay rose from the circumstance that, after due reflection, Mr. Churchill having intimated his willingness to accept the Chief Secretaryship, doubt and difficulty beset the mind of the Premier. Some candid friend, hearing what was to the fore, brought under his notice extracts from certain public utterances delivered on Irish politicians and politics at a time when irresponsibility loosened the tongue, not at the best of times abjectly subject to authority. On full consideration it was felt that Winston would never do at the Irish Office, and the new session found him at the post where the old session had left him. But his admission to the Cabinet is only a matter of time. It is possible that, before another year has sped, redistribution of the Ministerial cards may bring him to the War Office—a dream he never dreamt when he camped out on the veldt in South Africa, or, earlier, rode, a non-commissioned volunteer, with the troop that captured Omdurman.

Observing Mr. Balfour at close quarters, it has frequently occurred to me that his choice of a political career deprived the stage of a great actor. In temperament a passionless man, he succeeds, without apparent effort, in smilingly confronting any personal attack that may be made upon him. When, in the last Parliament, an Irish member, stung by his impassivity, dashed across the floor towards the Treasury bench and made as though he would strike the Premier, Mr. Ritchie and Lord George Hamilton, who sat near their chief, quietly closed up in readiness for what might happen. As for Mr. Balfour, he regarded the honourable but half mad gentleman as if he were a new species of bluebottle fly. He can himself upon occasion affect to be under the sway of angry passion. But it is obviously only affectation. The uplifted voice, the sternly-set countenance, the menacing gesture, are each and all a part of the play.

Everyone knows quite well the purpose and meaning of his fine frenzy in greeting the Unionist deputation calling at his private house on Tuesday. There is not a shadow of a doubt as to the genuineness of his hostility to Home Rule. At the same time, he welcomes recrudescence of the movement by the Government, as offering timely assistance at an embarrassing moment. Since the session opened he has been sorely pressed by the tariff reformers with demand that he should more openly and decisively associate himself with their cause. He is not more disposed to do that now than he has shown himself at any time during the past four years. But, if in party warfare the tariff question is permitted to hold the field, he must from time to time say something. If, on the other hand, a question remote from it, and at least equally effective as stirring enthusiasm in the Unionist camp comes to the front, he may throw himself body and soul into the controversy, give the go-by to the Chamberlainites. Such opportunity he finds in the new departure of the Government on the Irish question, and as the French say, seizes it by the hair with really disproportionate violence.

A further stroke of luck has befallen him in the introduction of a bill designed to encourage the formation of small agricultural holdings in Scotland. This, in a speech almost as violent in tone as that which delighted the Ulster men, he denounced as a deliberate attempt to plunder land-owners. With these imposing bogeys, separation of the Empire following on devolution of the management of local affairs in Ireland, and wholesale plundering of land-owners in Scotland, he counts confidently upon keeping in the background the pesky question of tariff reform. It is interesting to observe in connection with the two speeches delivered by him this week on these several questions that, when he pleases to exercise the faculty, no public man exceeds him in explicitness of statement. For four years he has been subject to accusation, from friend and foe, of ambiguity in his declarations on the tariff question. No such charge is possible in connection with the position assumed by him in respect either of Home Rule or the land question.

The almost hysterical condition to which the assaults of the female suffragists have reduced the police authorities at Westminster was intensified by the discovery of a lady actually standing on the floor of the House, evidently bent on walking its full length. It turned out that she concealed no flag about her, and was not intent upon obtaining the Parliamentary vote for her sisterhood. She had entered the lobby under the guardianship of a much esteemed country baronet. He had left her for a moment by the little window through which ladies are permitted to gaze upon legislators at work. She, seeing him walking up the floor of the House, and thinking he meant her to follow, lightly skipped after him, finding herself actually within the House, the cynosure of eyes blazing with amazement. She was promptly led forth, but nothing can deprive her of the distinction of her achievement.

There is talk of withdrawing the privilege of conducting ladies to the peephole, which certainly is in dangerous contiguity to the glass door that gives entrance to the House. The storm will probably blow over, and there will remain chances for others. It is only by the straitest supervision that such accident is not recurrent. Shortly after he succeeded to the Peerage, Lord Selborne brought his son and heir, a bright little boy of some seven or eight summers, down to the House. Leading him by the hand to the peephole, the glass door was by chance flung wide open, presenting full view of the House, with the wigged-and-gowned Speaker in the chair. The spectacle was too much for the child's sense of humour, and through the startled House rang the shrill cry, "I see him!" followed by a burst of childish laughter.

THE ENCHANTED GROVE.

(BY A. M.)

Until a few weeks ago the name of the tea tree had only power to evoke in my mind a vision of stunted bushes twisted like the group of the Laocoon in their efforts to stay the drifting sand on some windy beach. Now I know these are but the poor drudges of the family. I have seen them or their kind as they can be at their loveliest, have wandered in a grove, not of mere scrub, but of tall trees, standing sheltered and serene on the border of a placid lagoon. And as I lingered among them and yielded to their glamour, I thought how Corot, the French painter of green and silver harmonies, would have loved these trees; how tenderly he would have rendered them on his canvas under the grey sky which best accords with their quiet beauty, bathed in the limpid atmosphere "the caressing air," to use his own expression, of which he knew the secret. It needs a true poet like Corot to interpret them; as it is too many pass them by unseeingly.

For the charm of the tea trees is not in the flaunting of brilliant colours to overwhelm superficial observers. On the contrary, their foliage has in it something of the austerity of the English yew, and their stems and branches, clothed though they are with grey and tawny tissue, that gleams luminously in contrast to the sombre leaves, have nothing garish about them; all is subdued in tone. Their charm is rather that they seem steeped in that mystery, that "haunting hush" that marks all Nature's moods of quietude, and it was very still beneath the tea trees. The noise of the waves, elsewhere so dominant, was here transformed to a murmur gentle as that of some honey-laden bee; the wind whispered below its breath when it came here, even the birds twittered more softly—all that is except a little pagan of a whipbird, who, morning after morning, uttered his queer sharp note with an energy nothing could subdue. But with all the silence there was no melancholy, no sense of desolation. Rather was it the silence that sometimes falls between good comrades and draws them closer than any spoken word.

But at first the tea trees wove their magic about me not alone by their own beauty, but because they brought something back to my memory as fitfully as a half-forgotten strain of music. Before I loved them for their own sake, I loved them as one sometimes does new friends—because they recall the old. Had I once wandered here in spirit that all seemed so familiar when in reality all was so new? And why on the shores of the mighty Pacific among typically Australian vegetation should my thoughts turn persistently to cascades foaming in the gardens of marble villas, or to ruined stone amphitheatres standing wide to the sun? Why should I hear the footsteps of nymphs in the rustle of the lush-reedy grass, and think when some slender stem bent that it bent before the movement of some old-world dryad or faun? At last the chain of associations grew complete; then I knew it was the calm grey olive groves of Italy and of summer days spent among them that these trees brought back to me. For, far apart as the botanist may place them, the olives of the northern world and the tea trees of our south are oddly the same, not alone in their colour, but in some more intimate relationship. As surely as nymphs and fauns moved through the olive groves long ago, so surely do their southern kindred, slim, brown-eyed, brown-skinned creatures, come stealing out from the recesses of the tea tree groves when no mortal is near and make the lovely silence give way to yet more lovely sound, as they sing to the music of the Australian woodland god. No shaggy Pan is he, but a youth eternally young, an Orpheus with pastoral pipes in place of a lute.

Those who know say "Oh, but there is nothing wonderful in these tea tree groves; they are quite common along the coast." So much the better, I am glad they are common. It seems the easier to turn one's thoughts to them when the dust and noise of the city grow intolerable, and the stupid details of life threaten to overflow the truly great things. And then because to the inner vision is granted much that is denied to the outward eyes though at first the groves may seem deserted, we have but to wait a little and the long cadence of the pipes is sounded, hamadryads are starting from the trees, and nymphs dancing among the fern, all the sylvan beings are before us, and the grove is indeed enchanted.

FROM WORKHOUSE TO WESTMINSTER.

Messrs. Cassell and Co. forward a copy of "From Workhouse to Westminster, the Life-story of Will Crooks, M.P.," by George Haw, with introduction by G. K. Chesterton. For excellent reasons, Mr. Will Crooks holds a high position in public estimation, and even the eccentricities of administration displayed by the Poplar Board of Guardians under his chairmanship have not injured the belief that he is perfectly honest and straightforward in his politics as in his private life. Mr. Chesterton's characteristic introduction does not help us much, for Mr. Chesterton here, as always, is busily engaged in finding paradoxes and proving them to be simple statements of fact. For one sensible distinction, however, the political world will be grateful to Mr. Chesterton. There are some politicians, he says, who are not representatives, but missiles. Mr. Balfour, for instance, is a missile, flung by the great mass of mediocre Tory squires; and Mr. Keir Hardie is a missile used by the poor men who elect him as something that will damage rich men. Mr. Crooks, however, is not only a missile—and a useful missile—but a representative who represents. Mr. Haw tells the story of Mr. Crooks' life, not only with the sympathy which one might expect, but with an unconscious regard for dramatic presentation which is altogether admirable. The reader gets to know from the inside this sturdy and uncompromising Puritan in politics, this man who is one with the working constituency which he represents, and who is yet the acknowledged equal of the Tory Prime Minister whom Mr. Chesterton regards as a missile, and of the Liberal Prime Minister who sent this missile about its business. However we may differ in politics from Mr. William Crooks, there is no word to be said against him personally. He is a man of whom England may well be proud—the sort of man who believes strongly and feels deeply, and who acts in accordance with his feelings and his convictions. It is a happy augury for the Labour party in England that the first evidence of its existence was furnished by the return for Woolwich of so genuine a man as Mr. Crooks.

GROVE'S DICTIONARY OF MUSIC.

We receive from Messrs. Macmillan and Co. a copy of the third volume of the new edition of "Grove's Dictionary of Music and Musicians." Mr. J. A. Fuller Maitland, the editor, has applied to his important work the qualities which were necessary to translate the "Dictionary" from a sort of copious index to the cemetery into an up-to-date account of the musical world. This third volume, "M.-P.," contains over 860 pages, whereas the space occupied in the earlier edition was less than 650 pages. But this comparison does not exhaust criticism. It might well be that the mere menace of matter would mean the deterioration of the value of the "Dictionary" as a comprehensive work of reference. That is not so. The editor would seem to have arrived with considerable success at that goal of all editors—the comprehension of the maximum of information into the minimum of space. A careful comparison of this volume with the corresponding part of the first edition would doubtless show that judicious excisions have been performed in some directions, whilst large additions were necessitated. For instance, when the "Dictionary" was first published, nobody knew anything of one of the greatest of prime donne, Madame Melba. Of her career there is a column or two of description in this edition; and this is merely an instance of the adaptation of the "Dictionary" to modern requirements. There is nothing lost. The reader has still the full and scholarly notices of men—to mention only some of those within the alphabetical limitations of this volume—like Mendelssohn and Mozart and Paganini; but he has also authentic accounts of men like Paderewski. We have a grievance against the editor, in that while he publishes excellent accounts of New York musical societies, he is silent about such societies in New South Wales; or, indeed, anywhere in Australia. But that is a small grievance, almost lost when one considers the excellence of this "Dictionary" as revised. "Grove's" was always estimable and of high reputation; in its latest form it is indispensable to all concerned in music and musicians.

WITH A GUN AT DAWN.

(By H. S. G.)

Dawn is still doubtful, but my watch makes it 4 o'clock, and clothes go on quickly. The house sleeps deeply, and lusty snores come out from my host as, boots in hand, I sneak down the stairs. Tea at dawn has a fragrance and potency distinct from tea at later hours, and the Primus stove gives it to me quickly.

I steal along the ridge on which the house stands, and in the half-light peep through the wire fence down into the cutting of the Southern railway. Rabbits are playing below the burrows, and the barrels follow in quick succession. A grey and white form leaps high, and goes kicking down to the bottom of the cut; another, dragging its hindquarters, makes bravely for one of the holes. There is no chance of getting down, so I hastily throw out the cartridges and reload. But he is gone. After days among the rabbits the thoughts of long hours spent with broken legs and wounded bodies crouched into the ends of burrows keep me awake at nights. My host, who owns the land, pities my misdirected sympathy. "Good enough for the brutes," he declares, and then argues, but to me unconvincingly, that the rabbit, as an animal low in the scale, has an indifferent consciousness of pain.

Down the line is an embankment with a patch of burrows on the slope. I take the other side for it until opposite the warren, and then cross rapidly, and stand up above fifty rabbits feeding and sporting on the grass-land below. They come in with a rush, and I blaze into the group. Each barrel stops one. And so I sneak along the permanent way for half an hour. Then from away down the line comes the murmur of the Southern mail. The murmur grows steadily to a roar, and round the cutting flash the head lamps of the thunderous big engine. In that still uncertain light, the mail train leaping towards you at 40 miles an hour, and crashing past within six or seven feet, is more suggestive of strength than anything I know. I catch flying nods from the driver and fireman, and watch the great courier out of sight, with regrets that fortune tied me to a city seat when there were rocking, whirling footplates to be manned, and long miles of shining rails to be covered.

As the morning brightens the rabbits are more shy, and I give up the strategy on the line, and pass down beside thirty chains of an old hawthorn hedge. The bushes have not been trimmed for a quarter of a century, and have spread out freely into the paddocks on both sides. "Why," an Englishman asked me the other day, "don't Australian farmers go in for more hedges. I told him they harboured rabbits and starlings and other pests. "Perhaps so," he said, "but they are so beautiful." "And you," I laughed, "are so like a conservative new-chum Englishman." But our farmers are careless of beauty. If they can't have hedges they might have more trees for fruit and shade and beauty.

My old hawthorn hedge gives me good sport. The rabbits slip in and out, sometimes scared and going at their top, but often cantering unconscious of my presence. And with a full bag of cartridges I snap at all that come within fifty or sixty yards. Long faint shadows flicker out in uncertain length from the early summer sun, and I reckon that the morning's sport is nearly over. But a friendly cloud stoops low, and on the moment the dew on the hedge and the long dry grass ceases to sparkle; all is grey again almost as it was before the sun came; feeding and playing time is prolonged, and so too my shooting.

A little later and I dip into twenty acres of green corn shoulder high. It moves slowly in the faint breeze and rustles softly about me. The broad dew-covered leaves brush me lightly, and soon I am drenched. But the ducking only adds to the zest of the outing. The moist earth is good to smell; in the crisp air comes clear and sweet the peerless tinkle of cowbells, the sharp notes of a barking dog, and the shout of a boy; and half a mile away smoke is curling from the chimney at the house, as though in answer to such an appetite as comes only from a few miles across country before breakfast. Sport is good. Rabbits pop over the drills before me, or canter straight ahead. No time is there for sighting. He who would shoot in the corn must push out the gun and pull on sight, and run hard for the wounded. It is all flash work. And my luck is good. Hares here are scarce and notoriously wild, and yet as I walk out of the maize on to a clearing I come on to a big fellow, half sitting, half standing as he listens. He bolts, but the lead is faster.

Again I push into the drying corn, and not a minute passes before another hare, large and plump, lobs lightly into the drill not a chain ahead. He raises his fine height to its full, and peers at me curiously through the leaves. As the gun goes up I have a lightning recollection of a hammering long ago from an uncle who saw me as a small boy shoot a hare in her seat. But here the murder is justifiable, and the beautiful brown form crumples up before me. Then more rabbits. Misses are frequent.

A patch of thistles on the way back to the house sometimes shelters a hare. It does this morning, but he rises a hundred yards ahead, and bucks up his tail contemptuously as he canters away. How remarkable is the hare's instinct of danger. There are cattle grazing about this fellow, and yet he picks out my footfalls and is taking no risks. A hundred times I've noticed the same thing. By the way, rabbit shooting spoils one for hares. You get into the habit of fossicking about at your feet for the little greys that sit so close, and miss the hare that rises a chain or two ahead. And if the hare is to be bowled over you must get at him early with your first barrel.

At breakfast I talk lightly of a score of rabbits and a brace of hares, and as I demolish my third chop and my second egg and an unconscionable quantity of tea, I feel a marked superiority over late risers who twiddle with a single chop that they don't relish.

CHOOSING A CANDIDATE.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Will you kindly inform your readers in what manner their freedom of choice may be exercised in the case of an electorate known to be loyal to the party in power, but whose present member, for several reasons, is unpopular. Are we to understand that Government supporters are not to be opposed at the coming elections, or that if any constituency puts forward a candidate in opposition to the sitting member that gentleman will have the full support of his party in the contest? The effect of such tactics would be to disfranchise the electorate that attempts to make its own choice. Faith has departed with regard to central organisations already practically controlled by Government agents, and local leagues are galvanised into life just prior to election time, when the payment of one shilling entitles anyone to a voice at a meeting supposed to choose a candidate, but really controlled by wirepullers, who defeat the object of the electors, rendering them thereafter inert and disgusted with the whole business, thus playing into the hands of the opposition. It has happened so often that the above question is widely put, and a satisfactory answer anxiously sought. Press and platform being the only voice the people have, and the latter dependent entirely upon the goodwill of the former, will you help them to a solution of their case?

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To many nature-lovers [illegible] beautiful time of the year. [illegible] it as "The season of mists and [illegible] fulness," but he was unacquainted [illegible] Australian autumn. True, it is the se[illegible] fruitfulness here, but it is very late in [illegible] autumn before we have mists, and then only very early in the morning. Autumn in Australia is the time of bright blue skies, crisp air, and sparkling waters; but still it has its "touch of melancholy," perhaps because we are so soon to lose it. Why is it that some of us prefer the autumn? Perhaps because the "scents and sights" are toned down, and do not nauseate as they do in the exuberant spring—even the most fastidious become satisfied. Spring seems to be the sensory time of the year, autumn the aesthetic.

Moreover, the sunsets in autumn easily outdo in gorgeousness those of spring, and nowhere, perhaps, in the world could more gorgeous sunsets be seen than in autumn in Australia. Even the language of a Ruskin would fail to depict their beauties. The fading away of the glorious golden colour of the sky to the steel grey of the twilight is something to be treasured up in one's mind, but not described.

One, sitting looking into the western sky, and sighing over the loss of the beautiful day, sees streams of birds silhouetted against the twilight grey, making their way northward. Whence have these birds come? and where are they going? They are the migratory birds that follow the summer, and are coming now from the south, where the winter is beginning to place his cold hand, and are following the sun into his northern latitudes. Some will not leave us until the last moment, and will then travel very fast to their northern abode; others will leave quite early in the autumn, and make a leisurely trip. How often on moonlight nights, too, have we heard the call of the curlew or the screech of the plover or heron, and have tried to sight these birds, mostly without success? These are the birds that travel by night, and we wonder how they know their way so well that they can travel then. That is the very reason of the call. Some bird has become separated from his fellows, and wishes to join them again, and this is done by "calls."

Birds in their migratory habits resemble men—they "follow the leader," and this leader instinctively knows the direction and the best feeding grounds on the way. That birds follow a leader has been proved by the fact that young birds in migrating invariably have two or three old ones with them, who keep to the front.

Where do our migratory birds go? Some to the Tundras, the marshy swamps in Northern Siberia, where they arrive in multitudes just in time to eat the bright red berries and feed upon the myriads of insects that the melting of the snow and warmth of the sun cause to ripen and hatch. Some go to China, and others to India, whilst some go no farther north than New Guinea or Northern Queensland. The fast flying birds, as the swift and the martins, travel farthest north, while the herons, parrots, plover, jays, and curlews are content to remain more to the south. The minah is at home in India, where it is called "the Indian swallow," and treated with reverence by the Hindoos. Some writers affirm that the swift will leave us to-day, and at the same hour to-morrow be snapping up the insects on the Tundras, doing a journey of 24,000 miles in 24 hours, and by the pace he travels past us it can readily be believed. However, the fact that he travels so fast accounts for his remaining with us so late in the autumn. The swifts either travel singly or in pairs, the swallows in small numbers; while the cranes, herons, plover, and ibises, birds of slow, heavy flight, leave us earlier, and travel in company, picking up their friends "en route."

But to counteract our loss we have the birds that follow the winter, and migrate to us. These are mostly small birds of bright plumage, the robins and jacky winters, whilst the starling often returns before the winter is over, and begins patching up his old nest. These console us by their apparent friendliness and sociability for the loss of the songsters, and we toil on steadily through the winter, with the steady assurance that our friends wil return almost to the day on the advent of spring.

FISHERIES MATTERS.

Mr. Frank Farnell presided at the meeting of the Fisheries Board on Wednesday.

A petition from fishermen of Smith's Lake was presented by Mr. E. Fanning, asking the board not to close the lake against fishing, as asked by a Newcastle resident. The board having already decided not to close the lake to netting, the petition was merely received.

Applications for oyster leases in the Hawkesbury, Pambula, and Nambucca estuaries, aggregating 2300 yards, were received, and referred to the inspectors for report.

It was announced that the opening of the portion of Port Hacking, east of Glaisher Point, to Little Jibbon Point, to netting would begin on the following day, and the open season would continue therefrom for six months.

Complaints were received from two oyster lessees on the Crookhaven River, and at Nambucca Heads, that persons had been stealing oysters from their leases. The board could do nothing to help the sufferers except to inform them that if they furnished definite information about the thieving prosecution would be ordered. This is what the lessees can do themselves, and clearly their best course is to lay a trap for the thieves and obtain police assistance.

An application was received through Mr. G. T. Hindmarsh, M.L.A., for trout for a tributary of Terranora Creek, near Tweed Heads. As the board's investigations showed that the water was unsuitable for fish of such active habits as trout, being sluggish and too close to the sea, it was decided not to grant the request.

It was announced that steps were being taken to capture perch in the Nepean River for treatment in the Prospect Ponds. Two inspectors working with nets there had caught 250 in about a week, and had sent the fish, which were mostly small, to Prospect safely. It was proposed to see if experts with the rod could not manage to catch some larger fish.

The police at Coff's Harbour wrote stating that evidence had been obtained against two persons for using dynamite for the killing and capture of fish. It was agreed to authorise immediate prosecution of the offenders.

Mr. E. Carr, M.P., reported that shags were doing a considerable amount of damage to trout in the Fish and Duckmaloi Rivers, and expressed his opinion that residents could be induced to help in the destruction of the birds. The board intimated its desire to help, but regretted its inability to provide a capitation allowance for all the shags that might be secured, as there were no funds for the purpose.

Evidence taken regarding the fisheries of Lake Macquarie and Newcastle was considered, in conjunction with petitions against the closing of a large portion of the lake south from Wangi Wangi Point. It was shown that in the area that the Chamber of Commerce of Newcastle and others desired to be closed to netting, there were 43 fishermen and 120 hauling grounds, that the fishermen had important vested interests in the locality, which would be injured if there were such a closure as it desired, that the sending of the men to other parts of the lake to net would injure them financially and not materially benefit the lake, and that the returns from the lake showed that there was no falling-off in the number of fish captured in nets in it, especially since the permanent closing of the channel entrance to netting. For these reasons the board decided not to grant the closure asked by the Chamber of Commerce and others. With regard to the Newcastle matters, the board reserved its decision.

Mr. H. C. Dannevig (Superintendent of Fisheries Investigations) reported regarding the Moama and Echuca sections of the Murray fisheries. He found that not much fishing was going on, except about 15 miles east of Moama, where fishermen had established a camp many years ago. Eight or ten men were now settled there with their families. Their catches went chiefly to the Victorian markets. Illegal methods of capturing fish were in vogue in some parts of the Murray River, and the bag-net was frequently used. After a flood the billabongs were robbed of their fish by nets placed across the mouth as the water was going out. There was no indication of the supply of fish lessening, but a certain amount of discolouration of the river was caused by mining operations in some of the tributaries of the Murray. This, probably, accounted for sportsmen reporting slack fishing, and urging a closure. The report was received.

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LAW REPORT

FRIDAY, APRIL 26.

EQUITY COURT.

(Before Mr. Justice A. H. Simpson, Chief Judge in Equity.)

LEAVE TO MOVE FOR INJUNCTION. THE BUSINESS OF UNIVERSAL PROVIDERS.

Hordern v Hordern.

Mr. Rich, instructed by Messrs. Read and Read, appeared for the plaintiff, Samuel Hordern, and moved ex parte for leave to serve short notice of an application for an injunction to restrain defendants, Anthony Hordern and Co., Limited, from commencing or carrying on business under the name of "Anthony Hordern and Co., Limited," as universal providers, or from using any such name in connection with their business. In support of the motion, the affidavit of the plaintiff was read, in which he stated that he had recently ascertained that Arthur Gilbert Hordern and Anthony Shubra Hordern, sons of the late Anthony Hordern, the younger, together with other persons, had formed the defendant company for the purpose of carrying out all the recognised branches of the business of universal providers. He contended that the name of the defendants so closely resembled that under which his business was carried on that it was calculated to mislead persons into thinking that they were dealing with his firm instead of that of defendants'. He believed that defendants intended to carry on business in Sydney and the State of New South Wales, and he feared that unless they were restrained from so doing defendants would shortly commence business under the name already stated, and that the reputation of deponent's business would be thereby endangered and depreciated, and he would be subjected to loss and damage.

His Honor granted the application, and directed service of the statement of claim to be made on the secretary of the defendant company, and one of the two Horderns mentioned in deponent's affidavit at the office of the company, Lombard-chambers, Pitt-street. Motion for the injunction to be heard on Friday next.

A SETTLEMENT.

Stinson v Chalmers.

Mr. Loxton, instructed by Messrs. Laurence, [illegible], and Macdonald, appeared for the plaintiff, and Mr. Rich, instructed by Messrs. Biddulph and Salenger, for the defendant. It was announced that all matters in dispute between the parties had been settled upon terms to be filed in court.

DECREE BY CONSENT.

ASHTON AND ANOTHER v CAINS.

Mr. J. A. Browne, instructed by Messrs. Brown and Beeby, appeared for the plaintiffs, Messrs. Ashton and Parsons, Limited, of London, wholesale druggists; and Mr. Rich, instructed by Mr. J. W. Maund, for the defendants, W. G. Cains, Limited, of Sydney, chemists. The plaintiffs, as the registered proprietors of a trade-mark, consisting of the word "phosferine," asked for an injunction to restrain defendants from selling or offering or advertising for sale any preparation under the name of "phosferine" which was not manufactured by plaintiffs, and that defendants should be ordered to deliver up all boxes, labels, and circulars in their possession or power having thereon the name "Phosferine."

His Honor, by consent, made a decree in the terms asked for; defendants to pay plaintiffs' costs as agreed upon between the parties.

AN INJUNCTION MATTER.

Bock and others v Jackson.

Mr. Rich, instructed by Messrs. Westgarth, Nathan, and Co., appeared for Theodor Bock and others, trading as H. C. Bock and Co., merchants and importers, at Hamburg, and moved for an interim injunction to restrain defendant, Arthur M'Donald Jackson, from dealing with the proceeds of certain bills of exchange.

Injunction granted until Monday, with leave to defendant to come in and move to dissolve it.

IN CHAMBERS.

(Before the Chief Justice.)

A FAMILY DISPUTE.

Toovey v Toovey.

Mr. Linton (of Messrs. Perkins, Stevenson, and Co.) appeared for Dorathea Olivia Toovey, and moved, under section 22 (subsection 1) of the Married Womans Property Act, 1901, for an order directing her husband, Charles Edward Toovey, to hand over to her a small iron safe, containing certain deeds and papers, the property of the applicant, and deposited for safe custody in the Bank of New South Wales, Bathurst. Mr. Carroll (of Messrs. Crick and Carroll) appeared for the respondent; and it was stated that since the summons was served upon him respondent had handed the safe over to his wife. As, however, the parties could not arrive at an agreement on the question of costs, his Honor directed the affidavit of applicant to be read. In this she stated that at the time of her marriage her father had left her £2000, and out of that sum she built a house at Bathurst, at a cost of £1000, in which she and her husband afterwards lived. Upon the death of her mother applicant also became entitled to considerable property, out of which she derived an income of about £400 per annum, and after her mother died in 1902 respondent informed applicant that he did not intend to do any further work, and at the end of 1903 he left work, and thereafter lived on applicant's money. In January, 1905, she handed the safe in question, containing documents relating to her various properties, her own will, and birth certificate, etc., to her husband, with a request that he should lodge it with the Bank of New South Wales, Bathurst, in her name. Owing to her husband's habits she left him in April, 1906, taking with her the children, and in November last she was instructed by Mr. Macintosh, her solicitor, at Bathurst, that the safe had been deposited by respondent in his own name, and the bank had declined to hand it over without his authority. No affidavit, in reply, had been filed by the respondent, but Mr. Carroll said that when respondent returned from Tasmania, he said he was quite agreeable to hand over the safe to his wife, in her presence, as there were documents in it which were his separate property, including his will. Immediately upon being served with the summons he at once accompanied Mr. Macintosh to the bank, and arranged to give up possession of the property to applicant.

His Honor granted applicant the costs of the application.

A MONEY-LENDING TRANSACTION.

Cranston v Carpenter.

Mr. Hammond, instructed by Mr. R. N. Henderson, appeared for the defendant, C. W. Carpenter, in support of a summons calling upon plaintiff, Samuel Cranston, to show cause why a certificate for costs, granted by Mr. Justice Simpson on the 5th April last, should not be set aside. Mr. Ferguson, instructed by Mr. H. L. Whittell, appeared for plaintiff, to oppose.

His Honor, after hearing the affidavits, said the case appeared to him to be one of gross oppression, and he was satisfied that if the facts now disclosed before him had been brought to the attention of Mr. Justice Simpson, his Honor would never have granted the certificate for costs. The unfortunate defendant in the case borrowed £10 from plaintiff, but in place of getting that sum he received £7 10s. He was subsequently informed by his creditor that he had discounted the promissory note for £10, and had to pay interest on it at the rate of 10s per month, and this he charged to the defendant, and also 5s per month more. Then there was another promissory note transaction between the parties for £30, and plaintiff, instead of suing for the £10 when it fell due, held it back until the £30 became payable and then brought two separate actions. He said again that it was a case of gross oppression, and the only doubt he had was whether he should not bring the matter before the Full Court. That was a point which he must consider.

Application granted, and certificate set aside with costs.

COMMERCIAL CAUSES COURT.

(Before Mr. Justice Cohen.)

A LOSS OF RUM.

Orme, Keigwin, and Co., Limited, v Roberts.

Mr. Kelynack, instructed by Messrs. Minter, Simpson, and Co., appeared for the plaintiffs; and Mr. Rolin, instructed by Messrs. Sly and Russell, for the defendant. This was an action brought by Messrs Orme, Keigwin, and Co., Limited, of Sydney, merchants, against James Roberts, master of the ship Lindfield, to recover compensation for the loss of certain puncheons of rum, representing 518½ gallons. The plaintiffs contended that the loss was caused by improper stowage. This was denied by the defendant, whose case was that the leakage in the puncheons and consequent loss of rum therein were due to the imperfect condition of the puncheons.

When the case was resumed, the parties agreed to the suggestion of his Honor to dispense with the jury, who were thereupon discharged. The hearing was not concluded at 4 o'clock, and the case was then adjourned generally.

BANKRUPTCY COURT.

(Before the Registrar, Mr. Arthur Henry.)

CREDITOR'S PETITION.

Samuel Cranston v Charles William Carpenter. Mr. Whittell appeared for the petitioning creditor; and Mr. Hammond for respondent. Mr. Whittell asked for an adjournment for a fortnight, as the certificate for costs in the action had been set aside by the Chief Justice that morning, but the order had not been taken out; and he wished to consider whether he would appeal against the decision. Mr. Hammond opposed the adjournment, but, as the order referred to had not been taken out, the application was adjourned to the 20th instant.

EXAMINATION UNDER SECTION 30.

Re Francis O'Brien. On the application of Mr. Moss, who appeared for the official assignee, an adjournment was granted to the 10th May, as it was necessary to summon further witnesses.

Re Charles Cadet. Mr. Teece appeared for the official assignee. Mary Cadet, wife of the bankrupt, was examined, and the examination closed.

Re Albert William Windsor. The bankrupt was examined by the official assignee, and the examination closed.

PROBATE COURT.

The following applications have been granted by the Acting Registrar:—

Probates.—Hugh O'Connor, Alexander M'Lean, John Wray, Jabez Smith, Mary Linkenbagh, James O'Connor, Emma Matilda Clarence, Edward Horan, Margaret Shea, John Frederick Hellmers, David Galway, Alfred Haynes Ward, Michael Murphy, George Anderson, William Colley, Mary K. Keating (resealed), William Merrifield, Ann Litchfield, John Young, James Vaughan, Sarah Ann Andrews, Samuel Briggs, William Sullivan, Bridget Heaney, Mary Gleeson, George William Mortimer, Isabella M'Ginley, Edward Moole, Margaret Baber, Frank Bailey (resealed), Frances Mary Bedwell, Francis Henry Tatcher, William John Gray, William Campbell, Joseph Beckett, Robert Hastie, Elspeth Black Ross. Personal applications: Sarah Ann Sanderson, Mathew Hale, Richard Barnes.

Administrations.—Henry Sackby, Norman Braemar Ferguson, William Frederick Connaughton, William Ostler, Charlotte Jane Smith, Daniel Ramsden, Thomas Whalan, Young Hoy, William Shearer, Robert Ridge, Elizabeth Dobson, Elizabeth Francis, Frank Harvey Clough. Personal applications: Thomas Leonard, Daniel John Stalder, Mary Ann Shepherd, John Cook, William Bartlett.

STATE ARBITRATION COURT.

(Before Judge Heydon, President, and Messrs. J. P. Wright and E. Riley, members.)

A QUESTION OF WAGES.

United Labourers' Protective Society v Commonwealth Portland Cement Company, Limited.

His Honor, in delivering the judgment and award of the Court, said they were not entirely satisfied with the award which they were about to pronounce. They would have much preferred, if they could have seen their way, to fix a minimum wage for ordinary labourers of 7s a day, with other increases in proportion. They had, however, had the opportunity, in camera, of examining the accounts and considering the position of the company, and they regretted that at present they could not give the men quite as much as they would have liked. The Court, however, should be glad to have another opportunity of examining the position of the company at the end of next year, so that if circumstances should then seem to justify it, it might give better effect to its views. They would point out also, as a matter of importance to the parties, that, although only about one-third of the employees had been represented, they had assumed that the award would affect the whole of the employees, and this had influenced the Court in fixing the amount of wages, which would have been higher but for the large number of men employed. The Court took it for granted that the minimum of 6s 8d per day which had been fixed would be extended to all ordinary labourers, and that something more than that would be given in the proper cases, as to which the occupations to which 7s per day had been awarded might be taken as some guide. This must be settled by the parties themselves, and the Court trusted they would be able, without delay, to come to a satisfactory agreement. If they could not, and a further dispute should be raised to enable the Court to deal with the whole of the industry, they would think it only fair to give the earliest possible day for its hearing. The minimum rate of wages decided on was as follows:—

Spawlers, cranemen, shunters, mixers, men at the shaking gutters at the rotary kilns and in the flying gang, 7s per day. All other labourers included in the claim 6s 8d per day. Except where work was carried on as a continuous process, over eight hours per day is to be paid for at the rate of time and a quarter for the first two hours, and time and a half afterwards. Where overtime has to be worked in consequence of storm, rain, fire, accident to machinery, or other unforeseen cause, it should be paid at ordinary rates. On holidays, except where the work is carried on continuously, time and a half to be paid. The holidays for all work, except in the continuous processes, to be Eight-hour Day, and all statutory holidays. In no case were the continuous processes to be stopped at all, or the other operations to cease for more than two consecutive days, with at least two consecutive working days before and after. Provision was made by which any worker who, through youth, age, or any infirmity, was unable to earn the prescribed minimum wage, could be employed, on notice being given to the secretary of the claimant union, at a wage to be agreed upon. Should the secretary of the union be dissatisfied, he could appeal within 14 days to the Registrar, whose decision would be final. The award is to come into operation as from March 25 of this year, and is to continue in force until set aside by order of the Court. The arrears of wages payable under the award are to be paid to the employees entitled thereto. Provision is also made for the enforcing of the usual penalties for any breach of the award.

ALLEGED PREFERENCE TO NON-UNIONISTS. APPLICATIONS BY NEWCASTLE WHARF LABOURERS' UNION.

Mr. Croft appeared for the Newcastle Wharf Labourers' Union; and Mr. M. H. Cohen (of Messrs. Braye, Cohen, and Co.) appeared for the respondent. This was an application on behalf of the Newcastle Wharf Labourers' Union for the infliction of a penalty on William Coulton, contractor, of Newcastle, for an alleged breach of the award in the dispute between the union and Messrs. Hudson, Tinniphone, and West, stevedores, which award had been made a common rule, for that he on March 26 last employed persons other than members of the union or bona fide members of the crew in discharging ballast from the French ship L'Hermite, the employment of such persons being in contravention of clause 18 of the common rule.

His Honor said that the matter resolved itself into a breach of existing conditions, and was not a breach of the award at all. The Courts should have been asked to declare that the conditions existing at the time the award was made should be observed, and if the Court had done so then the applicant union could come to the Court for a breach of existing conditions. The application would be dismissed, because the charge had not been sufficiently made out. But if there were any promiscuous engagement of stranded or destitute sailors, who had been drinking away their money, and were put on at starvation wages, then the Court would do all in its power to put a stop to the practice. Whether there was such a state of affairs was, of course, an entirely different matter.

On the application of Mr. Cohen, costs amounting to £7 were allowed.

The same union also asked that a penalty be imposed on Captain Morgan, of the ship Leyard Brothers, for having, it was alleged, given preference to persons other than members of the union in shifting his ship.

After hearing James William Blundell, secretary of the Newcastle Wharf Labourers' Union, his Honor dismissed the application on the ground that the evidence was not sufficient to show that an offence had been committed under clause 18 of the award.

QUARTER SESSIONS.

(Before Judge Murray and a jury.)

Mr. Herbert Harris, Crown Prosecutor.

STEALING IRONMOULDERS' TOOLS.

Charles Down, a strongly-built man, aged about 28, pleaded not guilty to a charge of having, on February 9 last, at St. Peters, stolen several tools, the property of Robert Gilfillan, Benjamin Richards, and Frank Boot. Mr. Curtis, instructed by Mr. John A. B. Cahill, appeared for the defence.

The Crown case as given in evidence was that somebody stole from Foster and Sons' foundry at St. Peters several ironmoulders' tools, belonging to men who worked there. Accused was shown to have worked at the foundry for 2½ days, just prior to the disappearance of the tools. He possessed only a few tools while he was working there, and had to borrow several from his fellow workmen. The tools disappeared on or about February 9, and on February 11 accused went to work at Gordon and Marr's foundry at Pyrmont; and, according to the evidence of an employee at that foundry, took there some of the missing tools. While working at the St. Peters establishment accused told one of the men with whom he was working that most of his own tools were in pawn.

Accused gave evidence, and stated that he had not stolen the tools or taken them to the Pyrmont foundry, nor ever had them in his possession except while working in the St. Peters establishment, and then he replaced them after using them.

The jury convicted the accused, and he was remanded for sentence until Wednesday next at 2 p.m.

FURTHER REMANDED.

The two young men, Alfred Hammond and Alexander Gilchrist, who had pleaded guilty to a charge of stealing in a dwelling, were called for sentence. Mr. A. B. Davies appeared for Gilchrist, and asked that his client might be treated as a first offender. The prisoner had borne a good character until recently, and restitution would be made. His Honor said he would listen to evidence of character if desired, and upon Mr. Davies stating that he would ask for a postponement of sentence to allow this to be done, adjourned further action until Wednesday next at 2 p.m.

The Court adjourned till Monday at 10 a.m.

LAW NOTICES.

MONDAY, APRIL 29.

SUPREME COURT.

TERM LIST FOR SECOND TERM.

Motions on Notice.—Godfrey v Godfrey, Wilson co-respondent; same v same.

Motions, etc.—In re W. P. Crick, gent. one, etc. (part heard), to show cause why he should not be removed from roll of solicitors; in re F. B. Freehill, ex parte John M'Laughlin (part heard), review of taxation; ex parte John H. L. Zillmann, mandamus.

Motions nisi for New Trial.—Dwyer v Railway Commissioners; Frith v the Minister.

Demurrers and Special Cases.—In re Frederick Stanley and the Examiners of Titles, and in the matter of the Real Property Act, special case; Commissioners of Taxation v Willis, demurrer; in re appeal of Mary Willis against assessment of income-tax for 1903, special case; in re appeal of same, 1904, special case; in re appeal of same, 1905, special case; in re Elizabeth Hall and Crown Lands Acts, J. Costello and Minister for Lands, respondents, special case; in re Michael Bolger and Crown Lands Acts, Minister for Lands respondent, special case; in re Mary Ann Crockett and Crown Lands Acts, Minister for Lands respondent, special case; in re Robert Hair and Crown Lands Acts of 1884, 1889, 1895, 1903, and 1905, B. T. L. Weisner and another and the Minister for Lands, respondents, special case.

Crown Cases.—Rex v George Phillips; Rex v Patrick Joseph Dwyer and Kathleen Dwyer.

Divorce Appeals.—Parker v Parker; Godfrey v Godfrey, Wilson co-respondent.

In Equity.—Before his Honor the Chief Judge, at 10 a.m.: Baker v Kettle, part heard; Seaton v Meare, motion for injunction; Bock v Jackson, motion for injunction; Cook v Dewson, motion to set down point of law before hearing suit; Strickland v Strickland, motion for injunction. At 11 a.m.: Welsh v Handcock, hearing. At 2 p.m.: Re Geo. Hill and Conveyancing Act, to be mentioned. Before the Master in Equity:—At 11 a.m.: Bourke v Bourke, to proceed on accounts. Before the Deputy Registrar:—At 11 a.m.: Bannan v Barracluff, to settle minutes of order. At 11.30 a.m.: Dallaway v Booker, to settle minutes of decree. At 2 p.m.: Moss v Carson, to tax costs.

Probate Jurisdiction.—Before his Honor the Probate Judge, at No. 2 Jury Court, at 10 a.m.:—Motions to pass accounts and for commission; motions to sell real estate, etc; and the following miscellaneous motions will also be taken: George Richard Parkes, payment out; James Price, maintenance. The following accounts will be taken at the Probate office: Albert Murray Smidmore, 10.30; John Graham, 11.20; William Beaumont, 12.

Before his Honor the Judge in Bankruptcy, at 2 p.m.: Re Samuel Palmer, Sampson Palmer respondent. Motion under Sec. 154. Before the Registrar in Bankruptcy, at 11 a.m.:—Creditors' petition: Toohey's, Limited, v A. F. Johnstone; Edwin Bryan Williams v A. E. Haines. Certificate application: George Maver. Single meetings: Daniel Cooper Green, William Young Collins. Public examinations: Amelia Briant, Daniel Holborrow Wetherill. Examination under Sec. 30: Charles Fernand Joubert. Before the Chief Clerk, at 10.30 a.m.:—Taxation of debtor's costs: George Faully Taylor.

COMMONWEALTH COURT OF ARBITRATION.

Darlinghurst Courthouse, at 10.30 a.m.—For hearing: Merchant Service Guild of Australasia v Commonwealth Steamship Owners' Association. Application to have the award made herein a common rule. A. Currie, Illawarra Steamship Company, Newcastle and Hunter River Steamship Company, North Coast S.N. Company, Burns, Philp, and Co., Holyman, Limited, W. Holyman and Sons, Limited, W. Holyman and Sons, Mutual Shipping Company, J. and A. Brown, Jones Bros., Captain Featherstone and trustees estate of Geo. Adams, Wallarah Coal Company, Limited, B. Byrnes, Limited, Bellambi Coal Company, Limited, E. Vickery and Sons, Limited, Mount Pleasant Coal and Iron Mining Company, Limited, Mount Kembla Coal and Oil Company, Limited, Laidley and Co., Limited, Newcastle Wallsend Coal Company, John Darling, J. B. Ellerker, objectors.

STATE COURT OF ARBITRATION.

Before the President and Members.—At 10 a.m.—For hearing, for proof of jurisdiction: The Hairdressers and Wigmakers' Employees' Union, claimant, v John William Smith, respondent.

Industrial Arbitration Office.—Before the Acting-Registrar—At 9.30 a.m.: Stove and Piano Frame Moulders and Stovemakers' Employees' Union v Fred. Metters and Co., to settle issues.

CENTRAL CRIMINAL COURT.

William Patrick Crick and William Nicholas Willis, conspiracy (part heard).

SYDNEY QUARTER SESSIONS.

Appeals of:—Mary Elizabeth Fenn, order, Infant Protection Act; William Francis Orr, order, Infant Protection Act; William M'Gillivray and James Pullen, assault; John Tyler, breach Copyright Act.

Appeals against the convictions and orders of magistrates will be heard at the Sydney Quarter Sessions as follow:—

Monday, April 29.—As above.

Tuesday, April 30.—William Flegg, assault and malicious damage; Herbert John Nicholls, order, Infant Protection Act; Patrick M'Tigue, assault; Mary Elizabeth Goulding, order, Infant Protection Act.

Wednesday, May 1.—Ulysses Kibby, order, Infant Protection Act; Hugh M'Vicar, order for maintenance; George Row, assault; Hilton Turnbull Small, order for maintenance.

Thursday, May 2.—Bridget Walsh and Margaret Cook, breach Liquor Act; Louisa Stewart, stealing from the person; Edward Buckley, vagrancy; Louisa Stewart, vagrancy; Frederick Williams, breach Traffic Act; Edgar Hill and Peter Francis Lee, stealing; Walter Hughes, disqualification under Liquor Act.

Friday, May 3.—Charles Leslie Fennell, vagrancy (two cases); James Holmes, Lionel James Walker, George Angus Hall, Arthur John Waterhouse, James Fleetwood, Edward Thew, playing "heading them;" Andrew M'Kye, breach Factories and Shops Act (two cases); Arthur Henry [illegible], breach sewerage bylaws.

DISTRICT COURT.

Before the Registrar, in No. 2 Court.—At 10.30 a.m., the Borough of Annandale ats. Buckler; at 11 a.m., Strongman and another v Meyer; at 11.40 a.m., Cooper ats. Pittman.

A CHARGE OF BIGAMY.

At the Newtown Police Court yesterday, before Mr. Isaacs, S.M., Florence Annie Primrose, or D'Aran, was charged with having married George Primrose at Sydney on September 22, 1902, and while so married did, on July 8, 1903, at Newtown, marry Frederick D'Aran, the said George Primrose being then alive. Mr. J. W. Abigail appeared for the prosecution, and Mr. H. Cromwell for the defence.

Detective Fullerton stated that on March 15 he saw the accused at her residence, Mitchell-street, Glebe. He said to her, "Did you ever marry a man named George Primrose?" and she said, "Well, yes, I did, and I did not. I married him, but I only lived with him for about half an hour, and he then left me." She further stated that she had not seen Primrose for four years, as he got himself into trouble, and the last she saw of him was in Parramatta Gaol. When charged accused admitted that this was her third marriage, and that she had married a man named Mitchell, who had died.

Frederick Victor D'Aran, milk vendor, Mitchell-street, Glebe, stated that he married the accused at Newtown on July 8, 1903. She signed her name as Florence Mitchell, and she told witness that she was a widow. About 18 months after their marriage the accused said she had a great secret to tell him, and she asked that he breathe not a word of it to anyone. She then told him that she had been married before. She told him also, if he recollected rightly, that she had not seen her former husband since the night she married him, and did not know where he was. Witness promised not to tell anyone about it, but disturbances in the house compelled him to do so. She was arrested in witness's house.

To Mr. Cromwell: Witness lived for over two years with the accused before he made revelation of her secret.

To Mr. Abigail: One night in King-street, Sydney, about a couple of months after she told him her secret, witness was with accused, and she pointed to a man and said: "There goes Primrose. Don't let him see me." Witness could only see the man's back. She asked witness to get away as quickly as possible, and they hurried away.

For the defence,

Florence Annie D'Aran, residing at St. Peters, stated that when she married on July 8, 1903, she honestly believed her former husband, George Primrose, was dead. For 10 months before she married D'Aran she had heard nothing of George Primrose. She never lived with him. She parted with him at the Registrar's office, and the next she heard of him was that he was in the Parramatta Gaol. She told D'Aran that she did not know whether Primrose was dead or alive. She and D'Aran were one evening going to the theatre, and she said to D'Aran: "There is a man on the other side of the road, and I cannot say whether it is Mr. Primrose or not." Nothing more was said, and they went on to the play.

To Mr. Abigail: It was several years after the death of Mitchell that witness married Primrose. Witness did not know what Primrose was arrested for. She heard of it two weeks after they were married. When he left her he said he was going to the country. There was no reason for her marriage with Primrose, as she was not in trouble. She was introduced to Primrose six weeks before they were married. She would admit that she ought to have made inquiries about Primrose before she married D'Aran, but she did not do so.

Mr. Cromwell submitted that the prosecution had not proved that Primrose was alive at the time that the accused married D'Aran, while his client firmly believed that he was dead.

The magistrate said it would be a matter for the jury. Of course, it was also a question for the Grand Jury to decide whether the case was one that should go to a common jury. He would commit the accused to take her trial at the Quarter Sessions, and allow her light bail.

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Metropolitan Board of Water Supply and Sewerage,
341 Pitt-street,
April 25th, 1907.

BEVIL WHEELS.

TENDERS will be received at this office until 2 o'clock on MONDAY, 6th MAY, for Supply and Delivery at Board's Depot, Paddington, of 2 (Two) Bevil Wheels. Further particulars may be obtained at Board's Head Office.

WILLIAM HOLMES,
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APRIL 29, 1907.

CONSTRUCTION of 1400 Lineal Feet of STONEWARE PIPE SEWERS in the Borough of Burwood.

WILLIAM HOLMES, Secretary.
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TO PEARLERS AND FISHERMEN AND OTHERS.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA, U No. 3 of 1907.

In the Matter of C. N. MURPHY and COMPANY, Limited, the UNION BANK OF AUSTRALIA, Limited, and Others, v C. N. MURPHY and COMPANY, Limited, and Others.

Under Orders of the Supreme Court of Western Australia, TENDERS are invited until the 31st day of May, 1907, by THOMAS SYDNEY SMYTH, the Receiver and Manager appointed in the above action, for the Purchase of the whole or any number of the undermentioned Assets of the well-known Pearling Business of C. N. Murphy and Company, Limited, carried on at Broome, Western Australia:—

Name.	Where Built.	Year.
Schooners.		
Kalendar Bux	Sian Tan	[illegible]
Mina	Singapore	[illegible]
Therese	Perth	1879
Luggers.		
Amy	Fremantle	1900
Annie	Fremantle	[illegible]
Bella	Fremantle	[illegible]
Betty	Fremantle	[illegible]
Dora	Broome	[illegible]
Evelyn	Fremantle	1901
Eva	Broome	1902
Fanny	Broome	1902
Gracie	Broome	1902
Gipsy (unregistered)		
Janet	Fremantle	1902
Lexy	Fremantle	[illegible]
Maria	Fremantle	[illegible]
Louise	Fremantle	[illegible]
Mona	Broome	1902
Olive	Fremantle	1901
Peggy	Broome	[illegible]
Post Boy	Fremantle	[illegible]
Rose	Fremantle	[illegible]
Lawton	Broome	[illegible]
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Tenders must give particulars of the number of vessels or leaseholds required.

The purchase price in the case of accepted tenders shall be paid to the said Thomas Sydney Smyth, at the office at Broome, Western Australia, of the Union Bank of Australia, Limited, on possession being given.

Neither the highest or any Tender will necessarily be accepted.

In case of any person desiring to purchase any portion of the above assets immediately, the said Receiver has reserved to himself the right of disposing privately of any of the said Assets at any time before the date hereby fixed as the last day for receiving tenders.

If any of the above assets are not sold on or before the 31st day of May, 1907, the Receiver will sell the same, or any portion thereof, to such purchasers at any time when satisfactory prices are offered, and subject to such terms and conditions as may be agreed upon.

PARKER and PARKER,
Howard-street,
Perth, W.A.
12th April, 1907.

THE METROPOLITAN DRAINAGE BOARD, HOBART.

FRESH TENDERS are invited for the Construction of Battery Point Main Sewer (Contract No. 29), portion of the City of Hobart.

Sealed Tenders, accompanied by the necessary Preliminary Deposit, and endorsed "Tender for Contract No. 29," will be received at this office up to noon on TUESDAY, 21st May, 1907.

Preliminary Deposit, £100; Final Deposit, 5 per cent.

Plans and specifications to be seen at this office; at the Town Hall, Launceston; and at the offices of Messrs. Gordon and Gotch, Melbourne and Sydney.

Tender Forms can be had on application to this office.

The lowest or any Tender not necessarily accepted.

NORMAN DODDS,
Secretary.
158 Macquarie-street, Hobart,
17th April, 1907.

TENDERS FOR BUTTER FACTORY AND MACHINERY.—TENDERS will be received up to 10th MAY for the Erection of Butter Factory and Supply of Up-to-date Machinery for same, capable of turning out 10 tons of butter per week. Tenderers to supply their own plans, and state time for completion of job. Tenders to be addressed to H. GORDON, Secretary, Wingham and Upper Manning R. and B. Co., Wingham, Manning River.

TO BUILDERS.

TENDERS are invited for ADDITIONS and ALTERATIONS to THE ROYAL OAK HOTEL, in Abercrombie-street.

PLANS and SPECIFICATIONS may be had on application, and Tenders are to be delivered on or before WEDNESDAY, the 8th May, to ROBERTSON and MARKS, Architects, Martin-place.

TENDERS are invited for the Erection of House at Bellevue, Woollahra. Plans and specification at HENRY A. WILSHIRE, Architect, 79 Hunter-street.

TENDERS invited for BRICK RESIDENCE at LINDFIELD. Plans and specifications with ROLAND HALLORAN, Architect, No. 161 Strand Arcade.

TENDERS are invited for Carting between 200 and 300 tons Rails and Sleepers from Burwood Railway station to Cabarita for tramway. Apply by letter, WILAMOT and MORGAN, 88 King-street, Sydney.

TENDERS called for Painting and Paperhanging COTTAGE. Apply H. WHITE, 6A Foy-street, Balmain. Labour only, or labour and material.

TENDERS are invited Erection of W.B. COTTAGE, DAIRY, etc., labour and material, or labour only. E. S. GARTON, Architect, 112 Pitt-street.

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GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

Department of Public Works,
Sydney, April 26, 1907.

TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND SUPPLIES.

TENDERS for the Works, etc., specified below will be received at this Department until 2 o'clock p.m. on the dates mentioned:—

MONDAY, APRIL 29, 1907.
Additional Accommodation, Public School, Kyngan.
Painting and Repairs, Public School, Regentville.
Erection of Manager's Cottage, Aboriginal Station, Roseby Park. (Fresh Tenders.)
Additions, etc., to Public School, Bankstown.
Repairs and Improvements to Public School, Windsor.
Alterations and Additions to Courthouse, Dungog.
Additions to Fire Service, Newington Magazine.
Painting Drill-hall, Penrith.

MONDAY, MAY 6, 1907.
Superstructure of Bridge over Stormwater Channel, Tramway, Lillie Bridge to Balmain-road, via Booth-street.
Construction of Little Coogee Stormwater Channel.
Reconstruction of Rifle Range, Milton.
Repairs to Public School, Woodstock.
Erection of New Cottage and Additions and Alterations to Existing Cottages, Hospital for Insane, Callan Park.
Erection of Additional Accommodation, Public School, Bondi.
Carriage Laying and Jointing Steel Pipes, and Accessories, Main Pipe Line, Port Kembla Water Supply. (Time extended.)
Additions to Public School, Wellington.
Supply of Portland Cement for use of the Public Works Department up to 31st December, 1908.
Composite Truss Bridge over the Murray River at Howlong. (Time extended.)
Painting Scabies Ward, Rookwood Asylum.

MONDAY, MAY 13, 1907.
Steel Work and Fittings to Bookstack, Fisher Library, Sydney University. (Time extended.)
Construction of a Jetty at Bonney-street, Kogarah Bay, George's River.
Taking Down and Re-erecting present Wooden Building, Accommodation House, Jenolan Caves.
Construction of Reinforced Concrete Service Reservoir, Port Kembla Water Supply.
Erection of New Police Buildings, Woolahra. (Fresh tenders.)
Additions, etc., Public School, Gundagai.
Erection of Police Station, Bermagui.

MONDAY, MAY 20, 1907.
Erection of Tank and Pumping Machinery, and Laying of Pipe Line, Temora Water Supply.
Erection of Police Station, Henty.

TUESDAY, JUNE 4, 1907.
Sinking an Artesian Bore in the Talmoi Bore Water Trust District.
Sinking an Artesian Bore in the Bugilbone Bore Water Trust District.

(6a-115) CHARLES A. LEE.

Stores Supply and Tender Board,
15 Young-street,
Sydney, 26th April, 1907.

TENDERS FOR THE SUPPLIES AND SERVICES enumerated hereunder will be received at the Board's Office up to 4.30 p.m. on the dates mentioned:—

29th APRIL, 1907.
WOODEN HULL FOR EXPLOSIVES DEPARTMENT (FRESH TENDERS).
40-TON LIGHTER FOR EXPLOSIVES DEPARTMENT (FRESH TENDERS).
ENGINEERS' FITTINGS, etc (FRESH TENDERS).
GLASS.
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WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.

6th MAY, 1907.
ALES, WINES, AND SPIRITS.
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13th MAY, 1907.
SUPPLY and DELIVERY and CONVEYANCE of COAL.
8-TON POWDER LIGHTER FOR EXPLOSIVES DEPARTMENT.
MEDICINES; Druggists' Sundries; Instruments and Surgical Appliances; Surgical Dressings; Laboratory Apparatus and Chemical Reagents; Disinfectants and Deodorants.

20th MAY, 1907.
Supply and Delivery of GROCERIES, etc., for a number of ABORIGINAL STATIONS.
Provision and Delivery of MEAT, BREAD, GROCERIES, EGGS, MILK, VEGETABLES, etc., for the undermentioned institutions for a period of twelve months from 1st July, 1907:—
Government Asylums at Newington, Rookwood, Liverpool, and George-street, Parramatta; Government Asylum at Macquarie-street, Parramatta, and Cottages Homes for Aged Couples, Parramatta.
Hospitals for Insane, Gladesville, Callan Park, Parramatta, Rydalmere, Newcastle, and Kenmore (near Goulburn).
Reception-house for the Insane Darlinghurst.
Coast Hospital and Leper Lazaret, Little Bay.
N.S.S. "Sobraon."
Carpenterian Reformatory, Eastwood.
Industrial School for Girls, Parramatta.
Hawkesbury Agricultural College, Richmond.
Government Experimental Farms at Bomen (near Wagga), Wollongbar (near Lismore), and at Bathurst.
Labour Depot, Bunnerong-road.
Pitt Town Labour Farm.
Children's Cottage Homes, Parramatta.
Children's Cottage Homes, Mittagong.
Shaftesbury Depot, South Head.
Quarantine Station; Ormond House, Paddington, and all other Establishments and Services not otherwise provided for within a radius of six miles from the General Post Office.
(b) Alternative Tenders, in manuscript for the Provision and Delivery of the whole or any particular section of the Supplies for the undermentioned groups of Institutions:—
GROUP A.
Government Asylums at George-street, Parramatta, and at Newington; the Government Asylum at Macquarie-street, Parramatta, and Cottage Homes for Aged Couples, Parramatta; and the Hospitals for the Insane at Parramatta and Rydalmere.
GROUP B.
Hospitals for the Insane at Callan Park and Gladesville.
GROUP C.
Coast Hospital and Leper Lazaret, Little Bay; and the Labour Depot, Bunnerong-road.

Tender forms and further particulars may be obtained at the Board's Office, Young-street. Tender Forms for Supply, Delivery, and Conveyance of Coal may also be obtained at the District Works Office, Newcastle, and for Provision Supplies for Services outside the Metropolitan and Parramatta Districts at the Institutions concerned.

Persons desirous of submitting alternative tenders for Provision Supplies are advised to apply at the office of the Board for further information.

A. BERCKELMAN,
(9b-110) Secretary and Executive Member.

Department of Lands,
Sydney, 25th April, 1907.

THE attention of all persons interested is invited to a notification in the Government Gazette of the 24th April, 1907, with respect to proposed ALIGNMENT of PART of NEILD-AVENUE, GOODHOPE-STREET, BROWN-STREET, and LAWSON-STREET, within the MUNICIPALITY OF PADDINGTON. Copies of the Government Gazette may be inspected at the Crown Lands Office and the Police Office of the District.

ROBERT McDONALD,
(5a-156) Acting Under-Secretary.

Public Service Board,
50 Young-street, Sydney,
26th April, 1907.

THE PUBLIC SERVICE BOARD invite applications for the undermentioned positions in the Public Service. Applications must be made on a form for the purpose, obtainable from this Office, or from Clerks of Petty Sessions in Country Districts, and must reach the undersigned not later than the dates specified. Further particulars are published in the "Government Gazette," and can also be obtained on application to this office.

MONDAY, MAY 6, 1907.
ENGINEERING DRAFTSMEN (10) temporarily required in the Department of Public Works. The rate of pay will be £200 or £220 per annum, according to the qualifications of the applicants selected; preference will be given to those having Railway or Tramway experience.

MONDAY, MAY 13, 1907.
JUNIOR ASSISTANT in the Analytical Branch of the Department of Public Health. (Professional Division). Salary, £160 per annum. Applicants must produce evidence of systematic training in chemical science, and of competency in water and general qualitative analysis, and may be required to submit to an examination in Chemistry. Suitable applicants already permanently employed in the Public Service will receive first consideration.
SURVEY DRAFTSMEN (7) temporarily required in the Department of Lands. The rates of salary paid will be from £150 up to £200 per annum, according to the qualification of the applicants selected.

MONDAY, MAY 27, 1907.
COMPETITIVE EXAMINATION OF CANDIDATES (male) for admission to the PROFESSIONAL DIVISION of the Public Service of the State will be held in Sydney, and at various country centres, which will be fixed as far as possible to suit the convenience of candidates on June 24 and following days. The estimated number of appointments to be made is 15. Candidates, other than persons already permanently employed in the Public Service, must be not less than 16 nor more than 21 years of age on the first day of examination. Successful candidates will be appointed on probation as vacancies occur, at a commencing salary of £75 per annum. At the expiration of twelve months, if satisfactory, they will be permanently appointed at the same salary, and will thereafter be entitled to receive such increments as the Regulations may provide, subject to the necessary funds being voted by Parliament. Candidates, excepting persons already permanently employed in the Public Service, will be required to pay an examination fee of 10s, which must be lodged with a Clerk of Petty Sessions or the Treasury, and the receipt therefor forwarded to the Secretary to the Board with the form of application. The Regulations regarding the Examination, and copies of the papers set on the last occasion, January 22, 1906, can be obtained at the Government Printing Office and the principal booksellers.
The subjects of Examination and all further particulars may be obtained from the Government Gazette, or on application to this office.
By order of the Board,
R. A. GILFILLAN,
(5a-116) Acting Secretary.

Postmaster-General's Department,
11th March, 1907.

ATTENTION is directed to a notice appearing in the "Commonwealth Gazette" of 16th March, 1907 (a copy of which may be seen at any official Post-office), inviting TENDERS for the Supply of Common Battery Telephone Material to this Department in Tasmania. Tenders close 17th June, 1907.
AUSTIN CHAPMAN, Postmaster-General.

MEDICAL, CHEMICALS, ETC.

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FARM AND STATION.

THE IMPORTATION OF STUD STOCK.

AN ASSOCIATION REQUIRED.

The introduction of more pedigree live stock from the old countries is a very live subject among breeders in this State at the present time. It would not be difficult to induce hundreds of cattlemen and a considerable number of horsemen to purchase and import stock provided the way was made reasonably easy. The people want the animals, and they are sufficiently enterprising to stand an outlay in proportion to their means, always with the stipulation that there is a chance of the game proving worth the candle. It may be said that at no previous period in the history of the State was there such activity in live-stock circles as at present, but the importation of animals which would be likely to improve the character and value of future generations is checked by the heavy expenses incurred in bringing such animals to Australia. In many cases the actual cost of importing is at least equal to the value of the stock purchased in the old country.

A fair buying commission to a representative who goes from Australia to the old country to buy stock is £10 per head, and it will be recognised that unless he be bent on some other business or on pleasure he would need to hold a large hand for buyers in order to cover the cost of his trip. This is one of the small charges, and if it be taken for granted that the agent is thoroughly conversant with Australian requirements, the commission must be regarded as a very reasonable charge. On that, however, come the freight, which varies in the vicinity of £35 or £40, then feed about £7, and the small charges, which in all bring the cost of a one hundred guinea animal up to about £175 when landed in Sydney. Quarantine comes on top of all this, and something must be allowed for possible damage and for a percentage of losses. Under the circumstances it is not surprising that, however enthusiastic the small breeders may have become on the subject of importing, they are apt, when confronted with the cost, to wonder how the bank manager may view the position.

There can be no two opinions as to the only means of reducing the cost of importing stud animals, so as to bring it within the compass of breeders of moderate means. The shipping companies are not likely to reduce freights on odd beasts or groups of three to half a dozen. As it is, these freights are not popular with shipowners, and it is unlikely that anything would be gained by suggesting to them that lower rates should be charged, in order that the introduction of valuable stock might be encouraged. The other charges seem to be about as low as they can be made to meet individual cases, so that taking the cost in the lump there is no prospect of a substantial reduction while the methods which have customarily obtained are followed. The only chance for the small breeders lies in combination. What is needed is a stockbreeders' association, which would cover this and a few other definite objects which would enable it to pay for services, and, as compared with the individual system, save money and effect general improvement in the live stock of the country.

Going back almost a century, a very striking example of the failures which ensue when honorary service is depended upon continuously is found in the decease of the first concerted movement for the introduction of live stock into Australia. This was in connection with the first agricultural society of New South Wales, which was inaugurated in the year 1822. The importation of stock and plants and seeds was the main objects of the society, and a separate stock fund was established. Contributions of from five to fifty guineas were freely offered, and a large sum was soon in sight. From all that can be gathered from the records much of this money was promised at the inaugural dinner while a proportion was actually paid. A very promising beginning was made, and we read that animals were brought out to the value of £1000 on several occasions. Apparently it was not the special business of any person to ensure the payment of the promised contributions or even to arrange for the shipments, and in the course of a brief period of time the fund apparently died out, and the breeders who desired to import stock were thrown upon their individual resources. There was ample money at the beginning to establish an association with a salaried manager or secretary, but this course was not adopted, and, judging from the history of the movement, it seems certain that the failure was due to the enthusiasm of honorary workers having petered out.

The breeders of New South Wales could accomplish their object now without meeting a tithe of the difficulties which beset the pioneers of nearly a century back. What is required is a strong body of members of an association which would pay for the necessary services in connection with importing stud stock. Shipments could be arranged for whenever a sufficient number of stock to fill a special stock boat was required by these members. Each member would state the class of stock he wished to purchase, and would be required to furnish a credit for the sum he was prepared to expend, and the total would be at the disposal of the buyer or buyers appointed by the association. Armed with powers to purchase a total number of animals to fill a good steamer devoted by the shipping agents solely to the purpose the representatives of the association would hold a strong hand when visiting the studs of the old country. Every item in the cost of importing the stock would be reduced, and the freight, largest of all, would be subject to the most substantial reduction.

The association would be in a position to make good terms with the shipowners because the freight would, under the circumstances, become very desirable. Against the reductions in cost would be set the payments to those who performed the services in connection with the business, but this would bring its own compensation in the advantage gained by permanent organisation. Possibly this scheme, which has been frequently outlined, may appear somewhat formidable to breeders, but, after all, the undertaking of each would not be nearly so great as that of the individual who now arranges with a representative to buy for him in England. The risk and cost would be minimised, and the members of the association would be in a position to provide for the introduction of new blood to the State from time to time, as necessity or the spirit of enterprise prompted their operations.

ITEMS.

The monthly meeting of the Stockowners' Association was held yesterday at the office, 10 Bligh-street, Sir Francis Suttor being in the chair. The business in connection with the approaching conference to be held next Tuesday between the Pastures Protection Board and the association was finally decided upon. A letter of congratulation was forwarded to the Chief Railway Commissioner on his appointment.

Relative to the value of the butter-graders' work under the Commerce Act, Mr. G. S. Thompson, the Queensland Dairy Expert, who is at present in London, writes to his Government as follows:—"I have the honour to report on the last shipment of Queensland butter by the steamer Ormus. I examined all 70 separate boxes, 40 of which bore the official mark 'tested,' and each showed the 'trace' of the Government grader's trier. I began operations at the business premises of Mills and Sparrow, the well-known Tooley-street firm, and was accompanied by the Hon. A. J. Thynne, Mr. Mills, and others. A very careful examination was made of our brands at this warehouse, and not one instance was shown of defective grading, the official stamp in every case being true to our description of the butter. Mr. Mills expressed much pleasure with the inspection. Our next step was to Cutton's wharf, where 50 boxes were examined, and out of 40 marked 'tested,' and which I have already referred to, 37 were found to compare with the official grade. This I consider thoroughly justifies that the Queensland system of grading has much to merit its continuance, and with this success in the grading of the butter, which was made during the hottest period of the year, when the quality of cream is not at its best, is evidence of great care on the part of the grading officers who were entrusted with this particular consignment of butter."

Mr. J. R. Smith, hon. secretary of the New South Wales Wine Association, writes:—I have read with a great deal of pleasure the article on the "New South Wales Wine Industry," appearing in your "On the Land" column in Wednesday's "Herald." The wine industry is destined to occupy a prominent position in the future development of this State. Wine growing has advanced to the position of being one of the most important industries in the colony, and it is absolutely necessary that the Government should make special efforts to assist in its further development. The viticultural expert, Professor Blunno, might induce farmers to set aside a few acres of their farms for the growth of vines, and by that means not only add to their own profits but increase the prosperity of the State.

THE WOOL TRADE.

A QUIET WEEK.

A quiet tone has prevailed during the week, and in the absence of auctions the business that has been transacted has been confined to the quittance by private treaty of passed-in lots from the last sales, and a few lines of local scoureds. These have been cleared at prices well up to the values ruling at the last auctions, and prices have been forthcoming for lots ex catalogues slightly in advance of auction bids. Very few transactions of any great moment have taken place, for quite a contingent of buyers left early in the week for Brisbane, to attend the sales there yesterday afternoon. Wool is arriving in Sydney in fair quantity; Central Queensland consignments are coming forward freely, and by May 14 next excellent catalogues for the time of the year should be presented to buyers. A little rain has fallen since shearing started in the northern state, but not sufficient to seriously interfere with the machinery of the clip. As an example of the progress made, it may be stated that up to Wednesday, 24th inst., 95,000 sheep had been shorn on Northampton Downs (Blackall), since April 1, and 27,000 head had passed under the machines on Darr River from April 10 to April 24 last. On both stations four days were lost through wet weather; shearing is being carried on by co-operative contract, and work is proceeding in a highly satisfactory manner. This rapid progress in shearing, and the disposition of wool-growers to meet the market as early as possible, mean that the selection of both greasy and scoured promises to be an attractive one at the next Sydney series. Owners of early clip wools who took advantage of the last sales to realise have been well pleased with their returns, and this fact seems likely not only to secure further consignments from them, but also to draw others to the premier market on May 14, 15, and 16 next, when 12 selling brokers are likely to offer catalogues aggregating 10,000 bales.

MAINTAINING WOOL VALUES.

As the season wanes, or rather as the statistical wool year draws to a close, and the new year, with its increase, begins to show a grey light on the eastern sky, the question of the maintenance of value naturally crops up. There is always a pessimistic murmur going on, even in the most hopeful of times, and the present is no exception to the rule. The bears, like the poor, you have always with you, and they manage to give a squeeze occasionally if only to show that they are alive. They have had much in their favour of late—a dear money market and considerable effervescence in financial circles—yet in spite of that no hugs of any consequence have taken place. They have not squeezed wool values to any appreciable extent. In fact, the position is so good in manufacturing centres that it is doubtful if they will succeed later on, when there is always a strong tussle to lower rates preparatory to the opening of the new season. A correspondent writing from London, March 22 last, says that a prominent Bradford manufacturer remarked that rarely, if ever before, was trade on such a sound footing as at present; "every spindle was working full time, and the goods were cleared as fast as they were manufactured. Indeed, we could book orders 12 months ahead. Unless the increase was larger than was anticipated, any substantial fall in wool values could not take place for a considerable length of time. Possibly there might be some decline in the autumn, when the bears try to depress values in order to influence the position for the new Australian clip. However, the outlook is bright, and with that exception the horizon is unclouded." With these world-wide features of the market in view, and the healthy tone locally for any lots available, values remain very firm.

CURRENT SYDNEY QUOTATIONS.

The following may be taken as the rates current in the Sydney market for the leading descriptions of the staple:—

Description.	Superior.	Good.	Medium.	Inferior.
	d d	d d	d d	d d
GREASY MERINO.				
Fleece	13 to 15½	11 to 12½	9¾ to 10½	7½ to 9½
Pieces	11½ to 12½	10 to 11	8½ to 9½	6 to 8
Bellies	9½ to 11	8 to 9	6½ to 7½	5½ to 6½
Lambs	11½ to 14½	9 to 11	7 to 8½	4½ to 6½
Locks	5½ to 6½	4 to 5½	3 to 3½	2½ to 2¾
GREASY CROSSBRED.				
Fine	14 to 16½	12½ to 13½	11 to 12½	9 to 10½
Coarse	11 to 12	10 to 10½	9 to 9½	7½ to 8½
SCOURED MERINOS.				
Fleece	22 to 25	20 to 21½	18 to 19½	15 to 17½
Pieces	20 to 21½	18 to 19½	16 to 17½	13 to 14½
Bellies	17½ to 19	15½ to 17½	13 to 15½	10½ to 12½
Locks	15 to 17½	12 to 14½	10½ to 12½	8 to 10

INTERSTATE MARKETS.

The only sales by auction this week were those to be held in Brisbane yesterday, when about 6000 bales were to be offered. A small sale was held in Adelaide on the 19th inst., when the various brokers catalogued only about 400 bales. The principal clip offered was 191 bales of greasy from Arcoona station, via Port Augusta; the wool was from travelled sheep, and in heavy wasty condition; the fleece realised 6¾d, 1st pieces 5d, and bellies 7¾d. Lake Albert merino realised 9½d, and crossbred 9¾d. Scoured fleece sold up to 18d, locks and pieces from 10d to 11½d. Rain is wanted in the outside pastoral country of South Australia. Very little wool is arriving in Melbourne, and the market is consequently featureless. The demand, however, is strong for any lots available. Below are the offerings and sales in the various selling centres to the dates given:—

Selling Centre.	Bales.	Bales.
Sydney to April 26......	679,746	683,742
Victoria to April 12....	457,867	442,341
Adelaide to April 19....	110,271	105,247
Brisbane to March 2......	71,215	64,878
Tasmania to March 12....	14,040	13,500
Totals	1,222,739	1,309,808

NEXT LONDON SALES.

On Tuesday next the London April-May series of sales open, with a total of 160,000 bales to offer. The gross arrivals amounted to 352,000 bales, which with 5000 held over or bought in from the March auctions, made a grand total of 357,000. Of the arrivals 197,000 bales were forwarded direct to manufacturing centres in the United Kingdom and the Continent, leaving 160,000 for this series, as compared with 166,000 at the corresponding auctions last year. How the quantities available for the May series have declined from 243,000 bales in the year 1902 to the present are shown in the following table:—

Year.	Bales.
1902	243,000
1903	210,000
1904	189,000
1905	167,000
1906	166,000
1907	160,000

BRADFORD TOPS.

According to our cable message of yesterday's date, the Bradford top market was dull. It was waiting upon the opening of the London wool sales on Tuesday next. Super 60's were unchanged, but common 60's, 46's, and 40's were ½d lower. At the corresponding date last year the market was unchanged on the previous week, and how high rates were is shown in the following table. Super 60's were then 3½d, common 60's (merino) 3½d, 46's (medium crossbred) 4½d, and 40's 5½d per lb. above the rates ruling at the close of April, 1905. How quotations compare may be seen as follows:—

	April 26, 1907.	April 19, 1907.	April 27, 1906.	April 28, 1905.
	d.	d.	d.	d.
Super 60's (merino) ..	27½	27½	27½	24½
Common 60's (merino)	26½	26½	27	23½
Forty-sixes (med. xbd.)	17½	18	19½	15
Forties (coarse xbd.) ..	17	17½	18½	13

BRADFORD AND CONTINENTAL MARKETS.

At Bradford on March 28 last, according to mail advices, the undertone was one of quiet strength, and there was sufficient activity in wool and tops to keep the market from stagnating. Values were not quotably higher, but both Botanies and crossbreds were a shade dearer. In English wools there was some buying for export, and rates were exceedingly firm. So far as the Continent was concerned, trade was satisfactory. At Mazamet business was active. Australian lambs' wools were eagerly bought, and the market practically cleared of such stocks. In Leipsig the market was buoyant, a large turnover was taking place in high-class Australian tops, and a fair business was done in medium counts; crossbreds were moderately offered, with a diminished demand. Business at Verviers in tops was quiet, but the undertone of the market was firm; such business transacted was at full rates, spinners were busy with orders, and the outlook was bright, most of the mills working at high pressure. At Havre, merino futures were active, with a good aggregate of business. In Berlin the feature of the trade was the opening of the season's auctions in domestic wools.

SYDNEY WOOL RECEIPTS.

The quantities arriving by rail now are very light; 59 bales were manifested to arrive at Darling Harbour yesterday, as compared with 53 bales on the corresponding day last year. There was a larger volume, however, by boat; upwards of 223 bales were manifested to arrive by steamer, chiefly from Queensland. The totals to date are as follow:—

	Bales.
By Rail—	
From July, 1906, to April 26, 1907, at Darling Harbour railway station	646,772
Corresponding date last year	576,379
Increase	70,393
By Sea—	
From July 1, 1906, to April 25, 1907	129,618
Corresponding date last year	116,782
Increase	12,836
Total increase by rail and boat	83,229

SYDNEY WOOL SHIPMENTS.

During the past week seven vessels have cleared the Sydney Customs for the United Kingdom and foreign ports, with upwards of 21,084 bales, as compared with five vessels, carrying 4656 bales, for the corresponding week last year. Of the vessels leaving this week, two steamers for Bremen carried 10,735 bales, and two for Japan with 5060 bales. The increase in the shipments from Sydney and Newcastle to date over the corresponding period of last year is now over 78,700 bales. The vessels, with quantities for the week, and total to date, are as follow:—

Herzogin Sophie Charlotte, April 19, for Bremen	8,308
Yorck, April 20, for Bremen	2,427
Somerset, April 20, for London and Continent	2,263
	556
Vine Branch, April 20, for Japan	2,805
Armand Behic, April 22, for Marseilles	4,504
Kumano Maru, April 24, for Japan	241
Total since last week's review	21,174
Total from Sydney and Newcastle since July 1, 1906, to April 26, 1907	789,552
Corresponding date last year	710,816
Increase	78,736

CANCELLED IMPROVEMENT LEASES.

The board appointed under the Improvement Leases Cancellation Act, 1906, will meet at the Lands Department on Friday, May 10, at 10 o'clock a.m., to determine the procedure to be adopted in respect of the investigation of the applications made for leases under that Act. Although it is not intended to consider on that day any of the applications received, the applicants and persons interested are invited to attend the meeting with a view of making any representations which, in their opinion, would facilitate such procedure.

NORTHERN SHEARING SHEDS.

GOODOOGA, Friday.

The country from Walgett and Brewarrina to the Queensland border has a splendid coat of grass. All stock are in good condition. Good lambing and a well-grown clip are assured. Shearing is going on over the border towards Cunnamulla and St. George, and most of the large stations will soon be finished. The men are being paid the usual rates. Loughnan Brothers, Wollerbilla, on the Culgoa, will commence on May 2, one or two places in June, and all the large stations in the district from July 1 to 20, mostly under contract.

CANE CROPS.

MURWILLUMBAH, Friday.

The cane crop on the Tweed has made great growth since the new year, and the cutting next season promises to be heavy. It is feared there will be a difficulty in securing harvesters, as the best cane cutters state that inducements to go to Queensland will be largely availed of.

A RUSH FOR LAND.

INVERELL.—The Lands Department recently surveyed a block of country containing 15,000 acres at the lower end of Myall Creek, adjoining the closer settlement area, into six settlement leases. A large portion of this country consists of rough granite nobs with fine scrub, intermixed with some fair basalt ridges. So great, however, is the demand for land that no less than 447 applications have been lodged by 122 applicants for the six blocks. A number of these are local farmers' sons, a good number of strangers from other parts, and several tradespeople, who, influenced by the recognised prosperity of those following grazing pursuits, are anxious to get on to the land. The Land Board commenced an inquiry on Thursday, taking the applicants in alphabetical order, and weeding out unsuitable ones. The remainder will be allowed to ballot. The inquiry will take some days.

DAIRYING.

ALBION PARK.—Mr. J. James, of Gerringong, delivered a lecture in the Agricultural Hall on Wednesday on "Dairying and the Breeding of Dairy Cattle."

DISTRICT ITEMS.

CAMDEN.—A farm about three miles from Camden was sold this week at £12 per acre to Mr. C. Smith.

GOULBURN.—O. H. Turner and Co., Ltd., report having sold Mr. Michael Watson's well-known Narrawa property, Hollywood, of 5000 acres, freehold, together with sheep, cattle, horses, plant, and furniture, to Mr. M. Louis, owner of Woodville station.

INVERELL.—Sharp frosts are being experienced—most unusual in this part. All the late maize crops have been killed.

AGRICULTURAL SHOWS.

MOREE.

MOREE, Friday.

The show takings for three days were £213. The ball receipts were over £70. A smoke concert, at which the judges and officials were entertained, was largely attended, and Messrs. Webster, M.P., and Jones, M.L.A., were present. Additional awards:—

Single harness horse, 15 hands: H. R. Murray, 1; J. Cameron, 2. Pair ponies, 14 hands: Murray, 1 and 2. Pair buggy ponies, 13 hands: G. C. Wood, 1; T. J. Doran, 2. Pair buggy mares, over 15 hands: H. R. Murray, 1; J. Cameron, 2. Tandem team, 14 hands: Cameron, 1; Murray, 2. Under 14 hands: G. W. Palmer, 1; H. Jurd, 2. Trotting, in pairs: J. Cameron, 1. High jump: D. Dawson's Skipper, 6ft 2in, 1; F. W. Myren's Satan, 6ft, 2. Pair hackneys: Walker Estate Trustees. Pony hunter: Carver. Pony jump: R. J. Higgins, 5ft 1in, 1; T. E. Cullen, 5ft 2in. Hackney, 13 hands, ridden by girl: Flora M'Millan. 13 hands: A. C. Weston, 1; W. Kirkby, 2. Springcart horse: A. C. Weston. Unicorn team: H. R. Murray. Pony, to carry 12st: A. M. Holmes. Lady astride: Miss G. Blake and Leonore Child divided. Tradesmen's turnout: J. Nevin.

MACLEAY.

WEST KEMPSEY, Friday.

There was a large attendance at the third day of the show. Awards:—

Dairy cattle: Ayrshire bull over 3 yrs: A. Dorman. Two yrs: H. Irwin. One yr: G. Brandon. Cow over 3 yrs: G. Brandon. Two yrs, yearling, bull calf, and heifer calf: R. Davidson. Jerseys: Bull over 3 yrs, cow ditto: A. Jackson. Heifer, 2 yrs: J. Felton. Durhams: Bull over 3 yrs: R. H. Johnston. Two yrs: J. Plummer. One yr: H. Irwin. Cow over 3 yrs: E. Hill. Two yrs: S. Lancaster. One yr: C. Rogers. Bull calf: C. Barnes. Heifer calf: C. Teague. Three dairy heifers under 3 yrs: S. Lancaster. Under 2 yrs: A. Dorman. Three dairy cows: C. Teague. Dairy cow over 3 yrs: C. Teague. Two yrs: C. Teague. Dairy heifer, 1 yr, and heifer calf: G. Plummer. Five dairy cattle, bull, 2 cows and 2 heifers: Teague. Milking cow: F. Gill, test 5.6, 1.485 butter, 1; E. Hill, test 6.5, 1.401 butter, 2. Three dairy cows: E. Hill, 5.1 test, 3.615 butter, 1; S. Lancaster, test 3.8, 2.370 butter, 2.

Spring cart horse: C. H. Jeffrey. All round farm horse: W. Trees. Roadster: E. Harwood. Trotting stallion: W. J. Hawthorn. Pair galloways, driven: E. G. Baker. Pair buggy ponies: F. King. Trotting horse: G. Coleman. Buggy horse: V. Clegg. Single-seated buggy and horse: V. Clegg. Pair buggy horses: W. Warhurst. Sulky and horse: A. Cosbey. Hunter's jump: V. Julian, 1; H. Berger, 2. Pony stallion: T. Howe. Walking horse: S. Woodlands. Galloway, to be ridden: D. Duncan. Pony jump: J. Campbell. Driven: R. C. Kingborn. Galloway, driven: D. Duncan. Pony, ridden: M. Bull. Polo pony: P. and J. Knauer. Tandem team: D. Duncan. Four-in-hand turnout: J. Averill. Galloway jump: S. Harriott. Lady and gentleman riders: P. and J. Knauer. Lady riders: Mrs. McHaugh. Lady's hackney: J. Wisted. Gent.'s hack: J. and J. Knauer. Galloway hunter: C. Jeffrey. High jump: Cavanagh and Harriott divided. Weight carrier hack: J. and P. Knauer. Maiden hunters: J. and P. Knauer, 1; E. Harwood, 2.

Home Doctoring of Animals, by H. Leeney, M.R.C.V.S., is a book that contains the most reliable collection of recipes and prescriptions for the home doctoring of the horse, cow, sheep, pig, dog, poultry, etc. It is simply written, profusely illustrated, and shows the different presentments in foaling, calving, lambing, etc. Price, 7s 6d; postage, 8d. [illegible] and Robertson, Ltd., 89 Castlereagh-street.—Adv.

The best Bacon on the market is the Crown [illegible]. Nothing offering compares in quality and [illegible]. Ask your grocer for it. [illegible] 255 and 257 Sussex-street, Sydney.—Adv.

LANDS COMMISSION CASES.

CONSPIRACY CHARGE.

W. P. CRICK AND W. N. WILLIS ON TRIAL.

CROSS-EXAMINATION OF MR. WEBSTER.

The trial of William Patrick Crick, ex-Minister for Lands, and William Nicholas Willis, land agent, upon a charge of conspiracy, was continued before Mr. Justice Simpson and a jury at the Central Criminal Court yesterday.

Mr. Pilcher, K.C., Mr. Garland, and Mr. Pollock, instructed by the Crown Solicitor, appeared to prosecute. Mr. Lamb, Mr. W. A. Walker, and Mr. Pickburn, instructed by Mr. F. Yelverton Wilson, appeared for William Nicholas Willis. Defendant Crick conducted his own defence.

Henry C. Webster was further examined.

A question was asked on the previous day of the witness, "What were the things you believed you saw in Ord's hands when you saw the deposit slip?" and objection having been taken to it his Honor allowed the argument to stand over.

His Honor said he did not know whether Mr. Pilcher really wished to press the question. The witness had said he believed that some of the things which he saw in Ord's hands were what he had given to Dent in his room, and it was already in evidence what he gave to Dent.

Mr. Pilcher said he would press the question.

After argument his Honor admitted the evidence and said banknotes stood in a different position from ordinary promissory notes.

The witness answered the question: Australian Joint Stock Bank £50 notes.

To defendant Crick witness said he believed the evidence he gave yesterday was correct, and at the time he gave evidence before the Lands Commission he believed that what he then said was correct.

Defendant Crick: Yet one or the other was absolutely false?

Witness: I believed at the time it was correct.

Yet one or the other must be absolutely false?—I would say not correct.

If the account you gave yesterday were true, that which you gave before the Lands Commission was false?—It was incorrect.

You swore before the Commission that these notes that you saw in Ord's hands were the notes that you gave to a man named Taylor in June, 1901?—Yes, I did.

And yesterday you swore that the notes you saw in Ord's hands were the notes which you believed you gave to Dent in December, 1901?—Yes.

Witness, continuing, said he did not recollect whether he said before Mr. Justice Pring that when he brought in the notes in change for Dent's cheque for £750 he did not know where Hancock was; he said yesterday he believed that Hancock was at his desk at the time, but he could not say he had any recollection of where Hancock was.

The witness was cross-examined at length as to his evidence before the Lands Commission, the Police Court, and before Mr. Justice Pring.

In answer to questions, the witness said that if the defendants were convicted he did not think he would allow them to stay in gaol without correcting his evidence. The solicitor whom he consulted gave him advice, and he acted upon it. He knew now that he should have gone to the Commission, but he took the solicitor's advice. When he found that he had made a mistake in his evidence before the Lands Commission he was worried about it, and made up his mind to correct it at the first opportunity; but it did not occur to him to ring up the defendant Crick and tell him so. He had no ill-feeling against the defendant Crick, nor had he against Willis, though he had a very poor opinion of the latter.

Defendant Crick: Did you say before Mr. Justice Pring that your personal feeling was so strong against Willis that you could not trust yourself to speak?

Witness: I think I did, practically.

When you found that you had made a mistake, did you go to Mr. Pilcher and tell him?—I went to the Crown Solicitor.

Did you tell him that you found you had made a mistake in your evidence?—Yes.

Did he give you any advice or not?

His Honor said the witness had already said he would like to state what advice his solicitor gave him, and he proposed to give him an opportunity after the re-examination was over to state what advice the Crown Solicitor gave him.

After a short argument it was decided that the witness might now state what it was.

Witness said: I gave my evidence, I think, on October 6, 1905, and went to my solicitor on or about the 10th, and he advised me to go to the Crown Solicitor. I think I went with him on the same day, or the day after, to the Crown Solicitor. I did not make a note of any of these things, and am only speaking from what I remember.

His Honor: Did he give you any further advice?

Witness: No.

Defendant Crick: Did the Crown Solicitor give you any advice?

Witness: No.

Then you remained silent on your own motion after that advice?—I followed my solicitor's advice. I went and told the Crown Solicitor after I was satisfied I had made a mistake.

And notwithstanding that the prosecution went on and you were called as a witness at the Water Police Court?—Yes.

And gave all the evidence I have read here to-day, and the only correction you made was that you said the Taylors went and cashed the cheque themselves?—Yes.

A question then arose as to the effect of the witness' statements, and his Honor asked him: You said that for eight or ten days you were worried as to whether you had made a mistake?

Witness: Yes.

Then you went to the solicitor for the bank, who was your solicitor also?—I went to him as a friend.

He gave you certain advice, and that advice you followed?—I did.

And you went to the Crown Solicitor, taking him with you. You went three or four times to the Crown Solicitor, and the Crown Solicitor never advised you to go to the Commission?—No, your Honor.

That is the whole thing?—The whole thing. I did not ask the Crown Solicitor for advice, your Honor.

He did not advise you. That is what you said before.

Defendant Crick: Did the Crown Solicitor take you to see anybody?

Witness: Yes.

Whom?—Mr. Pollock.

His Honor: What position did Mr. Pollock hold then?

Witness: I think he was Crown Prosecutor.

Further cross-examined by the defendant Crick—All the evidence given before the Lands Commission as to taking the numbers of the notes which he gave in reference to Taylor's £600 cheque was correct, except that it should have applied to Dent's cheque for £750. He took a memorandum of the numbers of the notes given in exchange for the cheque for £750. Six of those notes came in within three days in a deposit, leaving nine still to come in. He kept the memorandum until the remaining nine came in.

Defendant Crick: When did they come in?

Witness: I could not tell you.

To whose account did they come in?—They came from the other banks, and were brought by one of the tellers.

His Honor: Where is this memorandum?

Witness: It is lost, your Honor.

Do you say you put down in that memorandum the numbers of the 15 £50-notes, and kept it until the whole of the notes came in?—Yes, your Honor.

Defendant Crick: When all the notes came in, did you tear it up?

Witness: No; I kept it after that. I think I kept it until after Dent's £1250 cheque came in.

What did you do with it then?—I don't know; I lost it.

His Honor: Do you remember the numbers of those notes?

Witness: No, your Honor.

Defendant Crick: Can you or anybody connected with the bank, or anybody alive, tell the numbers of those notes?

Witness: No.

Witness, continuing, said the memorandum was asked for at various times by Mr. Adams, the general manager, Mr. A. P. Stewart, the chief inspector, and others. He did not know of his own knowledge who the others were.

Defendant Crick: Did the general manager ask you to show it to him for inspection?

Witness: I believe he did not.

So far as your recollection goes Adams never saw it?—Yes.

What you said at the Commission about the general manager asking for it several times was not correct?—My recollection now is that it was not.

What do you say about the chief inspector?—I remember that he asked me for the memorandum and the papers on one occasion.

Have you any idea of the date?—I think it was four or five months after December, 1901—a few months.

After further questions the witness said the general manager asked him for the memorandum to show to Mr. P. Morton, one of the directors.

Defendant Crick: Did you not give Stewart the paper containing the numbers of the notes?

Witness: I really could not say whether I did or not. The probabilities are that I did. The deposit slip was dated December 5, three days after Dent's cheque for £750 was cashed.

Well, there is no doubt in your mind that on December 5 you had the numbers of those notes before you?—No.

Witness, continuing, said he had the memorandum before him because he wished to compare it with the notes shown to him by Ord included in the deposit of December 5, 1901.

You thought it of sufficient importance to compare the numbers of those notes which you say you saw on the memorandum you had?

Witness: Yes.

How did you come to lose that memorandum before you came to the courts if it was so important?—I did not regard it as so important. There was curiosity as well.

Did Dent tell you what he wanted the notes for?—I think he did. I believe he did.

Did you know Willis was acting for Dent?—Dent told me so.

At this time in 1901 you had the same feeling towards Willis as you have described here to-day, and as you expressed before Mr. Justice Pring?—Yes.

And those feelings were about the same in December, 1901, as they were in June, 1901?—Yes.

After you saw Stewart, and Stewart told you certain things about Mr. Philip Morton, did you say you believed that Mr. Philip Morton spoke to you about those papers—No.

From that time up to the time you left the bank did he ever speak to you about it?—I spoke to him about it.

When?—Either on the afternoon that I gave my evidence before the Lands Commission or the following day.

After that, did Morton ever speak to you about it?—No.

Where did you see Morton?—At his own office.

Of your own motion, or in response to a call from him?—Of my own motion.

Did you leave the bank of your own motion, or were you retired?—I was retired.

After how long service?—About 43 years.

That is pretty well as long as the bank has been in existence?—It was about nine years' old when I joined.

At the Commission you said Sir Francis Suttor saw the memorandum. Are you in a position to say of your own knowledge whether he ever saw it or not?—No; I am not.

You know that at this time Sir Francis Suttor was a colleague of mine in the Government?—Yes; I know it now.

Now, I ask you on what ground you gave that evidence that Sir Francis Suttor wanted to see it?—I had in my mind the occasion that Mr. Stewart——

Oh, we have had Mr. Stewart. Did Mr. Stewart tell you that Sir Francis Suttor wanted to see it?—I would not like to say. I cannot remember whether he did or not.

Now, I ask you to say whether Sir Francis Suttor ever saw those papers or not?—I believe he did.

Do you know whether he was present at the meeting of directors, at which those papers were brought up?—Mr. Morton told me so.

His Honor: When was it that Stewart spoke to you?

Witness: I cannot remember, your Honor.

When was that meeting held?—I think it was in 1902.

Defendant Crick: Did you not absolutely withdraw at the last trial any suggestion that Sir Francis Suttor had seen the memorandum on the papers?

Witness: I can only say that so far as my own knowledge went, I did not know Sir Francis Suttor had seen the papers.

His Honor repeated the question, and the witness said he did not know of his own knowledge Sir Francis Suttor had seen the papers.

Defendant Crick: You said before the Commission that you had made a thorough search for the memorandum?—Yes.

It was lost in 1902?—I don't know when it was lost.

Was there any use in looking for it after three years?—They wanted it.

According to your evidence here to-day that memorandum could not have been in the general manager's possession?—Yes.

Have you asked Chief Inspector Stewart whether he had it?—Yes.

What did he say?—No; and he said he could not find it.

Have you got it?—No.

Could anyone find it?—We had a great hunt for it.

And it was never found?—No.

Did you say at the Commission, "I have no doubt it has been put away carefully, and it cannot be found?"—Yes.

There was no suggestion that it had been lost then?—Well, we had not had such a hunt for it then as we had afterwards.

To Mr. Lamb: Houston spoke to him on the telephone about the evidence he was to give before the Commission. After giving evidence before the Commission he told the Crown Solicitor he had made a mistake.

Then you want the jury to believe that you told the Crown Solicitor that, and that notwithstanding what you had told him Crick was put on his trial, and you were called as a witness?

Witness: If he was put upon his trial that is so.

Did you tell Mr. Pollock also?—Yes.

Did you tell Mr. Pollock that you had never taken the numbers of Taylor's notes?—Yes.

Did you ever at the police court mention a word about Dent's cheque?—No.

Did you take a declaration of secrecy when you went into the bank?—Yes.

Now, is it not correct that you took the numbers of Taylor's notes, as you swore at the Commission, and that you did not take the numbers of Dent's notes at all?—No, it is not.

Will you tell me on whose advice you remained silent before the Commissioner, and left him under the impression that it was true?—I have said already that it was a solicitor.

Did your solicitor advise you not to appear before the Commission and correct the evidence?—No.

Now, is it not true to-day that what you said before the Commission was true, and that what you say to-day is false?—No.

How was it that you made a mistake at the Commission?—I would explain the whole thing in two minutes.

His Honor: Well, let us have it.

Witness: I would be glad to give it. I wanted to all along, but I was not allowed. It——

Mr. Lamb: I will not have anything forced upon me.

His Honor said the witness had repeatedly explained about his mistake.

The witness then gave evidence respecting the cheques. Usually he saw all cheques for over £500 before they were cashed, but if not he saw them afterwards.

After some further examination it was evident that the witness was fagged, and it was suggested that the cross-examination might be deferred until the following day.

This course was adopted, and after some argument as to whether the Court should sit on Saturday or not it was decided that the balance of convenience would be met if the Court adjourned until Monday. The Court accordingly rose until that day.

ARNCLIFFE SEWAGE FARM.

ACTION FOR ITS REMOVAL.

The residents of St. George district who are afflicted with the unpleasant effects arising from the Arncliffe Sewage Farm are determined to make a protest against the continuance of same in their midst. A largely attended meeting was recently held at Rockdale, when several resolutions urging its abolition were carried. Mr. Carruthers, M.L.A., who is the member for the district, was present, and assured the audience that their wishes would be carried out. Of course, the matter would take time, and he could not definitely say when this desirable state of affairs would be reached. Personally, he said, he wished to see the sewage farm removed just as much as the audience did. The residents of Bexley are now pressing forward with their protest against the continuance of the nuisance, and an enthusiastic meeting was held on Thursday evening in the Bexley Council-chambers, presided over by the Mayor, Alderman C. Howard.

The Rev. C. T. Forscutt, seconded by Alderman J. G. Griffin, moved,—"That this public meeting protests against the nuisance of the sewage farm at Arncliffe, and objects to the introduction of the septic-tank system, and strongly urges the carrying of the sewage out to sea."

The resolution was supported by Mr. W. E. Johnson, M.P., Mr. W. Kenwood, and Mr. R. Thorpe, and was carried.

On the motion of Alderman R. Sanders, it was resolved,—"That a league be formed of citizens of Bexley to take all necessary steps to secure the abolition of the sewage farm and the substitution of a scheme for carrying the sewage to sea."

The foregoing resolutions are to be forwarded to Mr. J. H. Carruthers, whose co-operation and support are requested.

MILITARY.

RETIRING AGES.

MELBOURNE, Friday.

At a meeting of the Federal Executive to-day, regulations altering the retiring ages for certain military officers were approved as follows:—For colonels, permanent militia, and volunteer, 62 all round; lieutenant-colonels, 60; majors, 55; captains, 53; lieutenants, 48; non-commissioned officers, 60. In some cases these ages formerly obtained, but the result of the regulation is that all are now on the same footing.

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SUNDAY OBSERVANCE.

NEW PRESIDENT ELECTED.

The Congregational Union of Australasia resumed its sittings at the Pitt-street Congregational Church yesterday. The president (the Rev. D. Gosman) occupied the chair. Devotional exercises were conducted by the Rev. H. C. George (Q.).

CHRISTIANITY AND SOCIALISM.

A paper on "Christian Ethics and Modern Life" was read by the Rev. F. V. Pratt (Katoomba). It was pointed out that a Christian life had three outstanding characteristics—the spirit of love, a sense of responsibility, and a spirit of fidelity in small things as well as great. The Christian man lived a life manifesting faithful love in all his relations, domestic, social, commercial, political, and religious. It was universal in its scope, knowing nothing of the limitations of race, class, colour, or sect. A Christian man could not treat a child of God merely as a means to his own selfish gratification, his business, or his pleasure. No man was to be considered merely as a "hand," a part of a great machine, to be flung on the rubbish heap when no longer useful. He would desire for all the fullest development and endeavour to provide the best conditions and the fairest opportunities for that development. The responsibility of the citizens in the Australian Commonwealth was very great, because their power was great. They were sovereign as well as subject. They were responsible to Christ for the way in which they used their political power, and should not shrink from political service out of a selfish dread of what was distasteful. "Some of you may start in alarm and say, 'Is not this socialism?'" said the Rev. F. V. Pratt. "Well, I for one, am not frightened at the word. Etymologically considered, it is a good word, and I am convinced much that is best in socialism comes ultimately from a Christian source. Much comes, of course, from Plato, but if he is the father, Christianity is the mother. I think it is not wise for Christianity to be too anxious to drown her own child, lest she be justly accused of being without natural affection." It did not follow, however, continued the Rev. F. V. Pratt, that sympathy with one side of the socialistic ideal meant agreement with the State socialists as to the best means of attaining that end. Personally, he did not regard it as proven that the possession and working by the State of all the means of production and exchange would be the best means, or even a possible means. Even in a home all things were not common. The watchword of Christianity was not socialism, but brotherhood, a deeper and richer word. But while not in all respects approving of socialism, neither should they regard as ideal the system of unlimited competition, and each for himself, and the Devil take the hindmost, "that he should take who has the power, and he should keep who can." What was needed was such a combination and reconciliation of the two principles of competition and co-operation that the weak would not be crushed nor the strong unduly hampered. He feared that it was rare to find men who were Christian through and through. There were the remainders of sin in the regenerate, and there were apparent in every business system selfishness, and chicanery. On the other hand, brotherhood was noticeable in the feeling of responsibility growing among men of wealth, the greater care of the State for child life and the aged poor, the trades union movement, though it was to be deplored that that brotherhood was so limited, and apparently often selfishly misunderstood. Public conscience was also manifesting itself towards the sweating evil, the social evil, the drink traffic, the land question, gambling, rash speculation, and unwholesome conditions of toil.

Mr. W. Kerr (Melbourne) read a paper on the same subject.

BUSINESS SESSION.

During yesterday's business session the Rev. W. J. L. Closs (Q.) presided. The Rev. Dr. Gosman submitted a report of the extra-mural work from the theological colleges' committee, and Mr. W. Kerr a report on the Australasian Provident Fund, both of which were adopted. The Rev. J. King, organising agent of the London Missionary Society, spoke regarding the work of that body, referring to the visit of a special deputation from England this year. The Rev. Dr. Lawes directed attention to the need of protecting the natives of Papua, and securing to them the tenure of their ancestral lands. A motion to invite the Rev. Dr. Horton or some other eminent Congregationalist from England in connection with the union was unanimously agreed to. A telegram of congratulation was received from the South African Union, and it was decided to despatch one to the Morrison Centenary Conference sitting at Shanghai to celebrate the completion of the centenary of Protestant missions in China.

A ballot was taken for the officers of the Union, and resulted as follows:—President, the Rev. J. C. Kirby (S.A.); vice-presidents, the Rev. G. Campbell (N.S.W.), the Rev. Dr. Gosman (V.), the Rev. Joseph Robertson (S.A.), the Rev. W. J. L. Closs (Q.), the Rev. W. S. Kench (W.A.), the Rev. G. W. Sharp (T.), the Rev. W. Saunders (N.Z.); secretary, the Rev. A. J. Griffith (Q.); treasurer, Mr. W. W. Kerr (V.).

LADIES' SESSION.

In the afternoon a ladies' session was held in the Y.M.C.A. Hall, Pitt-street, organised by the Ladies' Auxiliaries for Home and Foreign Missions. Mrs. B. Palmer presided, and there was a very large attendance. Proceedings opened with the reception of the gentlemen delegates, and after an hour had been spent enjoying the excellent musical programme and social, a conference was held on the subject of "Woman's Work for the Church, the City, the State, and the Missionary Field." In addition to the address of Mrs. Palmer, speeches were delivered by Lady Renwick and Mesdames Buzacott, Jenkins, Cocks, and Sly (N.S.W.), Mesdames Kerr and Halley (V.), and Miss Crouch (India). The subject was exhaustively dealt with from many aspects by the various speakers, and their remarks were received with marked enthusiasm.

CITIZENSHIP.

Last evening's session was opened with prayer by the Rev. F. Binns (Redfern), when two addresses dealing with "Citizenship" were given.

The Rev. J. L. Closs (Q.) delivered the first, the subject being "The Modern Pulpit and the People." While the pulpit should not enter party politics the man in the pulpit could not be true to his Master if he did not carry his pulpit into politics. The fight now was between the unchristian and the christian citizen, and there was a considerable amount of idolatory prevalent. The material was deified. In Australia today was every evidence of a quickening of material prosperity; but there had been no quickening of a national conscience. One man had said that he would shut up all the churches, because they were the greatest opponents of material things his party had in view. The sensuous, he had almost said the sensual, was also deified. The sinner said, "Let the man in the pulpit look after his own business." But the man in the pulpit was minding his own business when he declared war to the death against every form of evil. (Applause.)

"Modern Society and the Sunday" was the subject of the second address by the Rev. Dr. Roseby (Marrickville). On the first day of this year a document was issued with the most remarkable combination of signatures that had ever occurred in the history of England. It was the manifesto for Sunday observance, and was signed by the Archbishop of Canterbury, the Roman Catholic Archbishop in Westminster, and the President of the National Council of the Free Churches of England. The gravity of the situation was shown by denominations so far removed from one another coming together. In England, it was said, the Day of Rest was becoming a day of sport, dinner parties, skirt dances, and theatricals—theatricals of the sort described by Mr. W. T. Stead recently. The light-headed worshippers of Bacchus and Venus were trampling the day of rest in the dust. There was the same thing here. Australia was face to face with an equal or greater evil. Sunday sports and frivolity were popular, and the sacred character of the day was being neglected, while this country added a tendency to deterioration, absent in England, in the decay of home life. The working-man should see that the church was his best friend, for nobody was more concerned than he in keeping Sunday out of the clutches of greed. (Applause.)

This afternoon the delegates will be entertained at a garden party by Sir James and Lady Fairfax.

A special session will be held on Monday morning to consider home and foreign missions, and motions of which notice has been given.

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Their Excellencies the Governor-General and Lady Northcote entertained the Governor of South Australia, Sir G. Le Hunte, and the Administrator of New Guinea, Captain F. R. Barton, at Government House during their stay in Sydney, and gave a dinner party in their honour on Tuesday evening, when his Excellency the State Governor and Miss Rawson were amongst those present.

His Excellency the Governor-General has been visiting Wollongong and Mount Kembla during the week, and was charmed with the beauties of the surrounding scenery. His Excellency was attended by Mr. H. H. Share, R.N., and Captain Fyers, A.D.C.

On Thursday afternoon his Excellency the Governor visited the Hawkesbury Agricultural College at Richmond, and presented the diplomas and prizes to the successful competitors in the presence of a large number of visitors, who left Sydney by special train in the morning and returned to town about 6 o'clock.

Yesterday afternoon the president and committee of the New South Wales branch of the Australasian Massage Association held a reception at the Medical School, Sydney University. The visitors were received by Professor and Mrs. Anderson Stuart, and included many members of the association from the other States. There were about 200 guests present, amongst whom were Dr. and Mrs. Russell Nolan, Dr. Grace Boelke, Dr. and Mrs. Roth, Dr. and Mrs. Gordon Craig, Dr. Springthorpe, Dr. and Mrs. Cuthbert-Hall, Dr. and Mrs. Collins, Dr. and Mrs. Lane Mullins, Dr. and Mrs. Sandes, Dr. and Mrs. Studdy, Dr. and Mrs. Murray Will, Mr. Treepoo Hall, Miss Bowden, Mr. Hugo Leschen, Miss Best, Miss Stafford, Miss Webb, Miss M'Pherson, Miss Black, Miss M. Phillips, Mrs. Reddall, Miss MacNab, Dr. Deakin, Dr. and Mrs. Chenhall, Dr. Dick, Dr. and Mrs. Storie Dixson, Dr. Hugh Murray, Dr. Marsh, and Miss Armstrong (hon. secretary). The visitors were allowed to go over the Medical School, where many curious and interesting objects were to be seen through various microscopes, and from the tower of the building an extensive view of the city and its surroundings was obtained. Tea and light refreshments were served during the afternoon.

When it is known that over 250 fancy dresses will be worn at the forthcoming "Literary Ball," to take place in aid of the Women's Hospital, Crown-street, Surry Hills, on May 8, naturally much interest will be evinced in the proceedings, and the ball promises to be a brilliant one. The following sets have already been arranged:—The characters in the Chaucer set, by Mrs. MacCallum; Omar Khayyam ("The Persian Garden"), by Mrs. T. H. Kelly; Thackeray, Mrs. J. Toohey and Mrs. C. L. Loney; Addison ("Sir Roger de Coverley"), Miss Russell French and Miss Gould; Dickens, Mrs. R. Sly, Mrs. Aronson, and Mr. W. G. Layton; Tennyson ("A Dream of Fair Women"), Mrs. C. A. Edwards; Sheridan ("The School for Scandal"), Mrs. Delohery; Mrs. Gaskell ("Cranford"), Miss Caro; Dante, Miss Kelso King; Goldsmith ("The Vicar of Wakefield"), Mrs. James Ashton; Shakespeare, Mrs. Alfred Lee; Grimm's Fairy Tales, Miss Mary Collins; and Sir Walter Scott, by Miss Gainford. The pageant will probably be led by "Minerva," representing literature in all its branches. Their Excellencies the Governor-General and Lady Northcote and his Excellency the State Governor and Miss Rawson, will attend the ball.

On Thursday afternoon, April 18, Mr. Arthur J. West, of Childers, Queensland, and Miss Christine Forrest, daughter of the Hon. E. B. Forrest, of Nudgee, Queensland, were married at St. John's Church, Parramatta, the Ven. Archdeacon Gunther performing the ceremony. The bride is a granddaughter of the late Dr. Forrest, an old-time headmaster of the King's School. The wedding was very quiet.

A pleasant evening was spent at St. James's Hall on Tuesday evening, when the members of the Alliance Francaise held a soiree musicale, and entertained their visitors with an enjoyable programme, including French songs and recitations. Amongst those who contributed to the entertainment were Mdlle. Leverrier, Mdlle. Marie, Mrs. Alston, Miss Simpson, M. Durieu, M. Duran, Mr. Wunderlich, and Mr. Giblin. Light refreshments were served between the first and second parts of the programme. Amongst those present were M. Pinard, M. Deschars, Madame Duran, Lady Salomons, Dr. and Mrs. Ashburton Thompson, Mrs. Wilson, Mdlle. Soubeiran, Miss Gurney, Mrs. Thring, Mdlle. Pognon, Dr. and Mrs. Roth, Mr. and Mrs. C. Learoyd, Mrs. Huxtable, Mrs. Buckland Taylor, Mrs. Cilbborn, Mrs. Airey, Mr. Mrs. and Miss Shard, Mrs. A. Lee and Miss Lee, Mrs. Lemmone, Mrs. and Miss Delohery, Miss Fiaschi, Dr. Scheidel, Mrs. and the Misses Paul, Miss E. Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Alston, Mrs. and Miss Gummow, Miss P. Mort, Miss Ffrench, Miss Rhoda-Anderson, Miss Mary Jones, Mrs. and Miss Jackson, Mr. and the Misses Haig, Dr. O'Neill, Miss Vallentine, Mrs. Levick, Mr. Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Bonar, Rev. J. H. Best, Mr. Giblin, and Mr. Teece.

A great musical treat was enjoyed by all those present at the Town Hall on Wednesday evening, when the gifted young violinist, Herr Premyslav joined with Mr. Andrew Black in giving one of the best concerts we have had in Sydney for some time. There was a fairly large audience, who were most enthusiastic, and no doubt all lovers of music will take the opportunity offered of hearing these artists again this evening.

The marriage of Dr. Herbert Fabian Alsop, of Birregurra, Victoria, third son of Mr. and Mrs. John Alsop, Armadale, Victoria, with Miss Elizabeth Lucy Macarthur Goldfinch, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Goldfinch, Osterley, Mosman, took place at St. Mark's Church, Darling Point, on Thursday, April 18. The Rev. Raymond King, cousin of the bride, officiated. The bride's dress was cream net over taffeta glace silk, trimmmed with beautiful old lace, and she also wore a tulle veil and a coronet of heath. Her amethyst necklet and shower bouquet were gifts from the bridegroom. Miss Ruth Alsop, sister of the bridegroom, and Miss Ruth Cowper, cousin of the bride, acted as bridesmaids, and wore cream net over glace silk, trimmed with lace medallions, and cream velvet hats, with cream tulle and green velvet bows and streamers. Their pearl circlet brooches and bouquets of crimson cactus dahlias were gifts of the bridegroom. Dr. Hough was best man, and Mr. Rodney Alsop, brother of the bridegroom, acted as groomsman. A reception was afterwards held at Lantana, Double Bay, the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Littlejohn, and lent for the occasion. Later, the bride and bridegroom left for Wollongong, the bride travelling in a navy serge coat and skirt, with Oriental trimming, and dark blue and red hat, and a fox fur necklet and muff.

The Montefiore Home annual ball has been arranged to take place in the Town Hall next Thursday, May 2, and amongst other attractions provided for the gallery, Mr. F. Bluett and Miss Annie Laurie (from the Tivoli) will appear, by permission of Mr. Harry Rickards. The Lord Mayor and Lady Mayoress of Sydney have signified their intention of being present.

Following the synod, a largely-attended garden party was held at the invitation of Bishop and Mrs. Camidge, at Bishopscourt, Bathurst, on Thursday. Refreshments were served on the lawn, and the weather being all that could be desired a pleasant afternoon was spent. Amongst the guests were Dean and Mrs. Marriott, Canon and Mrs. Thompson, Archdeacon and Mrs. Howell, the Rev. and Mrs. J. Parr, Archdeacon and Mrs. Haviland, Sir Francis and Lady Suttor, Mr. J. H. M'Intosh and the Misses M'Intosh, Hon. F. Jago and Mrs. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. H. Suttor, Hon. George Lee, Mrs. Oakes, Mr. and Mrs. Holmes, Dr. and Mrs. Machattie, Mr. and Mrs. N. Suttor, Mr. and Mrs. D. Barton, Miss Barton, Bishop Dunne, Mr. and Mrs. M'Phillamy and Miss M'Phillamy, Mr. and Mrs. J. Lee, and most of the leading residents.

The Mayoress of Mosman (Mrs. P. Leahy), entertained the stallholders and assistants of the recent "All Nations' Fete," at an impromptu dance on Wednesday evening. The ladies were nearly all in the fancy costumes worn at the fete, and as these were all well carried out the scene presented a brilliant and animated appearance. About 180 guests were present, amongst whom were Dr. Arthur, M.L.A., and Mrs. Arthur (hon. treasurer), Dr. Phipps and Mrs. Phipps (hon. secretary).

At St. Mark's Church, Darling Point, on Thursday evening, April 11, the marriage of Mr. Harold Yewens Russell, second son of Mr. H. E. Russell, of Kirribilli Point, and Miss Daisy Beatrice Chard, younger daughter of Mrs. E. A. Chard, of Kelso, Darling Point, was solemnised, the ceremony being performed by the Rev. J. Phillips Milne. The church was beautifully decorated with white cactus dahlias, a floral arch being placed over the chancel steps. The bride, who was given away by her brother, Mr. Athelstane Chard, wore ivory paillette silk, trimmed with Brussels lace and orange blossom, and a plain tulle veil over a small coronet of orange and myrtle flowers. Her sheath of lilies of the valley and necklace of emeralds and pearls were the gifts of the bridegroom. The bridesmaids, Miss Rose Chard and Miss Enid Russell, wore dresses of pale pink radium silk, trimmed with lace d'Alencon, and a cluster of pink bebe roses in their hair. Their pendants of tourmaline and pearls, also their bouquets of pink roses, were the gifts of the bridegroom. Mr. H. N. MacLaurin was best man, and Mr. H. H. Merewether the groomsman. A reception was afterwards held at "Kelso" by the bride's mother, and amongst those present were [illegible] Russell, Lady Downer, Lady Barton, and Messrs. W. A. Russell, E. H. Russell, F. A. A. Russell, R. H. Barber, A. G. Melville, J. P. Jones. Later, Mr. and Mrs. H. Yewens Russell left by motor car for the mountains.

A wedding was celebrated at St. Simon and St. Jude's Church of England, Bowral, on Saturday, 20th instant, when Miss Rose Morgan, daughter of the late Dr. A. B. Morgan, of St. Helen's, Bowral, and Mr. Richard Sibford White, of Windsor, were married. The ceremony was witnessed by a large number of spectators, and was performed by the Rev. Canon Betts, of Cootamundra, assisted by the Rev. E. Hargrave, of Bowral. The bride was dressed in white silk, and a wreath of orange blossoms and a tulle veil. She also wore pearl ornaments, and carried a shower bouquet. The chief bridesmaid, Miss Alice Southey, wore ivory glace silk, a white hat with pink roses. Her silver-backed prayer-book and shower bouquet of pink flowers were gifts from the bridegroom. The other bridesmaids were the Misses Gwen Morgan (niece of the bride) and Marcia Throsby, who were dressed in pale pink silk with pale pink hats, and wore wreaths of white roses. They carried bouquets of flowers, and wore gold and pearl pins, the gifts of the bridegroom. Masters Malcolm M'Goun and Allen Morgan (nephews of the bride) attended as pages. Mr. Norman Bennett, of Sydney, acted as best man. A reception was afterwards held at St. Helen's, where a large number of friends congratulated the happy couple. Mr. and Mrs. White are spending their honeymoon in Sydney.

A wedding was celebrated at the Presbyterian Church, Penrith, by the Rev. James McKee, on Wednesday, April 17, when the marriage of Mr. W. H. Fowler, eldest son of Mr. W. J. Fowler and Mrs. Fowler, of Jamisontown, Penrith, and Miss Stella Maud Stewart, only daughter of Mr. D. H. Stewart, and Mrs. Stewart, of Lemongrove, Penrith, took place. The bride was dressed in cream crepe de chene and chiffon, with a wreath and veil, and carried a shower bouquet, which with a gold chased bamboo bangle were gifts of the bridegroom. She was attended by two bridesmaids, the Misses Montague and V. Fowler, the former in cream crepe de chene and a cream hat with shaded brown feathers, and the latter in cream voile and white hat and pink roses. They carried bouquets of pink roses and deep-red carnations respectively, and wore gold brooches, gifts of the bridegroom. Mr. C. Payne was best man, and Mr. G. Anschau groomsman. After the ceremony the bridal party were driven to the Temperance Hall, where the guests, numbering about 60, were received and entertained.

The marriage of Miss Pearl Stapleton, only daughter of Mr. Robert Stapleton, of Marrickville, and Mr. J. J. M'Donald, of Sydney, eldest son of Mr. W. M'Donald, of Stanmore, was celebrated at St. Brigid's Church, Marrickville, on Tuesday, the 9th inst., in the presence of a large gathering of friends and spectators. The Very Rev. Father Frederick, P.P., performed the ceremony. The friends of the bride had decorated the church for the occasion. The bride was dressed in white crepe de chene over glace, trimmed with Limerick lace. The veil was arranged over a coronet of orange blossoms, and she carried a shower bouquet and an ivory prayer-book, gifts from the bridegroom. The bridegroom also presented her with a pair of diamond earrings and a bangle. The bridesmaids were Miss M. M'Donald, sister of the bridegroom, and Miss Jennie Keenan. The former was in pale blue silk, with a white felt hat, and the latter in pale pink silk, with a hat to match. They each wore a handsome gold bangle and carried a shower bouquet, the gifts of the bridegroom. Mr. W. A. M'Donald, B.A., acted as best man. After the ceremony the guests adjourned to the Dispensary Hall, Enmore, where a reception was held, and the bride and bridegroom received the congratulations of their friends.

A wedding took place at St. Saviour's Church, Redfern, on Wednesday, April 17, when Miss Caroline Cooper, daughter of Mr. William Cooper, of Redfern, was married to Mr. W. R. W. Somner, of Moore Park. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. H. R. Maclean. The bride was given away by her father, and wore a handsome dress of white crepe de chine, handsomely trimmed with Brussels lace and orange blossoms, also a veil and a coronet of orange blossoms. After the ceremony a reception was held at the Redfern Town Hall, where breakfast was served, and about 80 guests entertained. Amongst those present were Mr. and Mrs. A. Wunderlich, Mr. and Mrs. Somner, Mr. and Mrs. John Winning, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. W. Brewster, Mrs. M'Gill, Rev. R. H. Maclean, Rev. and Mrs. Scott Fletcher. The bride's going-away dress was of blue sicilian, and a hat of white felt, Oriental ribbon, and damask roses.

A Scotch wedding took place at St. David's Church, Dobroyde, on Tuesday, 9th instant, when the marriage of Miss Norma Ferguson, daughter of Mr. W. J. Ferguson, of Summer Hill, and Mr. Everton Anderson, of Broken Hill, was solemnised. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. G. M'Innes, B.D., the bride and bridegroom taking the pledge with uplifted hands, according to the rites of the Presbyterian Church. The bride, who wore a simple white dress, carried a bouquet of Scotch thistles, and was escorted to the church by her father, a herald, two bridesmaids, and two lucky maids. The bridesmaids' dresses were cream and blue silk, and they each wore Scotch thistle pendants, the gifts of the bridegroom. As a compliment to the bride their bouquets were of small sunflowers, the badge of the Ferguson clan. The little lucky maids, whose cream silk dresses were handpainted with sunflowers, carried wands, on which were hanging tiny baskets of sunflowers. The bride entered the church under an archway of flags, formed by the cadets of the Croydon Park Public School, under the direction of the head master, Mr. Dart. After the ceremony the wedding party and guests, numbering about 200, adjourned to the Masonic Hall, Summer Hill, where a reception was held.

At the Drummoyne Methodist church a social entertainment was recently held in order to bid farewell to the Rev. Wallace Deane, B.A., who is leaving the circuit to take up mission work in Fiji. The church was crowded. A musical programme was rendered, and refreshments were served. During the evening presentations were made to Mr. Deane on behalf of the congregation, the Band of Hope, and the choir. The occasion was also taken to welcome the incoming minister, the Rev. S. V. Cock.

DRUMMOYNE TO EPPING TRAMWAY

The standing committee on Public Works took further evidence yesterday regarding the expediency of constructing a tramway from Drummoyne to Epping railway station, via Gladesville, Ryde, and the Field of Mars.

Mr. Walter Hibble, wharfage collector under the Harbour Trust, and formerly Mayor of Ryde, gave a description of the conditions under which the Field of Mars had originally been given to some of the old grantees, under Governor Phillip, and followed the history of the district up to the present day. He described how the trust had lapsed and been revived at various times. He held that the best route for a commercial line would be from Drummoyne, via Hatton's Flat, on to Marsfield, and, via the Balaclava-road, to the Great Northern railway, at a point midway between the Eastwood and Epping railway stations. He claimed that by making a diversion from the original route to Epping along the Balaclava-road country of a rough and difficult character would be avoided, and the line could be constructed at a much less cost. He attached great importance to the provision of tramway connection between crowded suburbs such as Balmain and Pyrmont to the Great Northern railway; and, because of the facilities which would be afforded by the line he proposed, he considered it preferable to carry it on to the railway instead of stopping short at Hatton's Flat. In order to afford quicker transit to the city, he considered it essential that the journey from Balmain to Sydney should be shortened by the construction of a line from Evans-street, Balmain, via Glebe Island and Pyrmont bridges, to the heart of the city.

George Sydney Jenkins, an old resident of the district, advocated the extension of the tramway from Willoughby, via Chatswood and the proposed new cemetery, over the Lane Cove River, and along Pittwater-road to Woolwich, with a branch line from Reeves' Corner along the main road to Hatton's Flat. He claimed that this would serve the greater number of residents in the district, and afford much quicker transit to Sydney than would be furnished by a line running from Hatton's Flat through Drummoyne and Balmain. The original purchasers of the land on the Field of Mars paid about five times its value because, he believed, of the promise which had been made that a tramway would be built. He owned about 50 acres on the Field of Mars, but it was about four miles from the route of the proposed tramway.

The inquiry was adjourned till Monday.

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THE CHURCHES.

The Archbishop of Sydney on Sunday evening preached at St. John's, Glebe. On Monday evening he was one of the speakers at the annual meeting of the Mission Zone Fund. On Tuesday afternoon he presided at a meeting of the committee of the Deanery Endowment Fund, and later at a meeting of the committee for general purposes in connection with the Church Society. On Thursday evening he preached on the occasion of the festival service at St. Mark's, Granville.

Meetings in connection with the Pan-Anglican Congress thank offering have been held during the week at St. Aidan's, Blackheath, and St. John's, Parramatta. The meeting at Blackheath was held on Wednesday evening in the parish hall, under the presidency of the Rev. E. Lampard, Rural Dean, Archdeacon Dixon delivered an address, and the movement was inaugurated in the parish. At St. John's Parish Hall, Parramatta, on Thursday evening, Archdeacon Gunther presided, and Archdeacon Dixon, the Rev. P. S. Waddy (headmaster of the King's School), and the Rev. C. E. Curtis (organising secretary of the Melanesian Mission) were the speakers. The Revs. John Dove, F. C. Williams, J. A. Cawdell, W. A. O'Neill, and H. G. Chivers were also present. Much interest was taken in the proceedings, and promises of hearty support were made.

Rev. Luke Parr, organising secretary of the Church Society, preached on Sunday last in the parish church, Milton, and at Yattah Yattah. He held three meetings during this week in different centres of the parish, and has caused an increased interest and support to be shown in the society. On Friday he left Milton for Nowra, where he preached tomorrow.

Steps are being taken to build a parish hall at Holroyd, and at a meeting presided over last Saturday by Archdeacon Gunther it was decided as soon as possible to commence work.

At the annual meeting of the parishioners of St. George's Church the rector (Rev. D. H. Dillon), who presided, said that the year's work showed considerable progress. In the two Sunday schools—Mortdale and Hurstville—there were almost 700 scholars, with 47 teachers.

The thirty-ninth anniversary of the opening of Campbell-street Presbyterian Church, Balmain, was celebrated on Sunday last, when the Rev. A. M'Kinley, of Chatswood, preached in the forenoon, and the Rev. R. Scott West, of Burwood, conducted the evening service. The annual social was held in the school hall on Thursday evening. There was a good attendance, and the Rev. J. F. Blair, minister of the church, presided. An attractive programme of songs and recitations was gone through, and addresses were delivered by the chairman, the Rev. G. O. Cocks (Methodist), and the Rev. Angus King, the new minister of Chalmers Church.

The Presbytery of Sydney met at Chalmers Church on Tuesday evening for the induction of the Rev. Angus King, recently of Fremantle, W.A. The Moderator (Rev. C. H. Talbot) presided, and there was a large attendance. Rev. George Chalmers, of Paddington, preached; Rev. R. G. Macintyre, of Woollahra, gave the address to the minister; the Rev. G. Milne, of Leichhardt, addressed the congregation; and the Rev. J. F. Blair, of Campbell-street, Balmain, interim moderator, related the history of the call. A welcome meeting was held in the church on Wednesday evening, when there was a large and enthusiastic attendance. Dr. Dill Macky and Dr. Clouston were the speakers. Words of welcome were addressed to Mr. King by the representatives of all the associations connected with the church. During the evening Mr. A. Mitchell, J.P., presented a purse of sovereigns to the interim moderator, the Rev. J. F. Blair, for his services during the time the church was vacant, and Mrs. Lamond presented the new minister with a gown.

The Narrandera Presbyterian Church will be a fine structure when completed. Sir Samuel McCaughey, who recently performed the ceremony of laying the foundation stone, donated £1500 to the building fund.

The Presbyterian congregation at Helensburgh is taking steps to give a call to a minister, and is petitioning the presbytery of Illawarra for moderation.

A letter was received during the week from the Rev. T. J. Thomson, of Gladesville, Presbyterian minister, dated from Capetown, intimating that his health had considerably improved since leaving Australia. Mr. Thomson was granted an extended leave of absence at the last meeting of the Presbytery of Sydney, and will be away till the month of November.

Rev. J. C. Johnstone, formerly of Echuca, Victoria, who has accepted a call from the Presbyterian congregation at Kyogle, Richmond River, will pass through Sydney to-day on his way to his new charge.

The Right Rev. the Moderator of the State Assembly (J. Kemp Bruce) has returned from the Dungog district, at which place he had very successful meetings. The Moderator also visited Kurri Kurri while he was away.

A special visit was paid to Cooerwull Presbyterian Academy, Bowenfels, on Thursday, by the Right Rev. the Moderator-General (Dr. Clouston), the Rev. Dr. Bruce, Rev. John Ferguson, Senator Hon. J. T. Walker, and Mr. W. Wood, financial secretary. In addition to addresses given by the foregoing gentlemen, the Rev. T. D. Evans, the Presbyterian minister of Bowenfels, and the Rev. David Smith, M.A., rector of the academy, were amongst the speakers. A large number of local residents were present, and songs were rendered by the students, in chorus, under the direction of Mr. Sinclair. A very interesting feature of the evening's proceedings was the unveiling of a portrait of the late Rev. Dr. Cameron, formerly chairman of the Cooerwull Academy council, the ceremony being performed by Mrs. J. L. Brown, of Methven.

The Rev. J. Oliver Dick, the Presbyterian minister of Lithgow, has been seriously ill, but is now recovering, although it will be some weeks yet before he is able to fulfil his official duties.

The Rev. James Gray, formerly minister of the Presbyterian Church at Taralga, and later at Lismore and Ballina, died on Thursday night. Mr. Gray was 70 years of age, and has been an invalid for some considerable time. He was just about to be placed on the Aged and Infirm Ministers' Fund of the Presbyterian Church, and a petition to that end was to come before the Assembly next month.

The dedication of a new organ took place at the Ocean-street, Woollahra, Congregational Church on Wednesday last, the ceremony being performed before a large congregation by the Rev. J. C. Kirby, of Adelaide, a former minister of the church. Mr. J. G. Gardiner presided at the organ, and rendered Bach's "Prelude and Fugue in A Minor," Wiegand's "Storm Idyll," and "Communion in A Flat." Other members of the church also contributed musical items. The organ was built at a cost of £450. At the conclusion of the ceremony Mr. Kirby was presented with an inscribed gold key by the Rev. F. V. Pratt on behalf of church members and friends.

The Burwood Congregational Church choir will hold its annual festival on Thursday next at 8 p.m. The choral work will include Mendelssohn's "Come, Let Us Sing," the same composer's "By Babylon's Wave," and Gounod's "Hear My Prayer." Mrs. Florence Tierney will undertake the solo work in "Hear My Prayer," Mr. J. C. Henderson White performing similarly in the larger work. The choir will also have the assistance of Miss Marjorie Davis and Mr. H. Farr.

The conference of the Roman Catholic clergy of the arch-diocese will be held in the new chapter-room in the recently-renovated old St. Mary's seminary on May 15.

The memorial church to the late Rev. Father James H. O'Gorman at Michelago will be dedicated on Sunday.

The new Roman Catholic church of St. Augustine, Balmain, is rapidly approaching completion, and, situated as it is in one of the highest parts of the suburb, presents an imposing appearance. The tower, not yet finished, rises high above every building in the neighbourhood, and commands a magnificent view. The old edifice is completely dwarfed. The church will be one of the largest in the State, outside of the cathedrals.

On Tuesday and Wednesday next the New South Wales Christian Endeavour mid-convention will be held at Wollongong. A large number of endeavourers will make the trip from Sydney, together with a number of the members of the choir, who will assist in the praise services. The visiting delegates will be welcomed on arrival at Wollongong at a meeting in the Methodist Church, when the Mayor of Wollongong and the ministers of the district will speak. In the evening a tea meeting will be held, and a public meeting in the Town Hall, when addresses will be delivered by the Revs. Dr. Porter, C. Whyte, M.A., and P. J. Stephen. The whole of Wednesday will be taken up with meetings and conferences, and in the evening the consecration service will be held in the Town Hall. The chairman will be the Rev. R. H. Waugh, M.A., president of the union, and the sermon will be preached by the Rev. G. T. Walden, Australasian president.

Mr. W. J. Williams, evangelist in connection with the Marrickville Church of Christ, is at present on a visit to the churches on the Manning River, where he is preaching to large audiences.

The Church of Christ at North Sydney has purchased a hall, which will be altered and turned into a meeting house.

Mr. S. G. Griffith, from Montana, U.S.A., arrived by the Vancouver mail this week to take up the work of evangelist in connection with the Church of Christ, Campbell-street, Sydney. Mr. Griffith comes well recommended as an able preacher. He will preach to-morrow in Campbell-street Temple, and on Tuesday a welcome tea and public meeting will be held.

Mr. Thomas Hagger has just concluded a well-attended gospel mission at Inverell. He will resume preaching in connection with Paddington Church of Christ to-morrow.

Miss Sophie Blackmore arrived in Sydney on Monday by the steamer Guthrie from Singapore, where she has been a missionary for the past 20 years in connection with the Methodist Episcopal Church of the United States. Miss Blackmore is home on furlough after seven years of continuous labour on the equator. She is the senior lady missionary in the Straits Settlements, and is superintendent of one of the largest girls' schools in Singapore.

Mr. Evan Roberts, the Welsh Revivalist, is still unfit to engage in active mission work. A year ago, it appears, he was on the verge of paralysis, and only great care, bright surroundings, and freedom from all strain had saved him from an irrecoverable mental and physical breakdown.

HAWKESBURY AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE.

DIPLOMA DAY.

The annual distribution of diplomas, certificates, and prizes was made by his Excellency Sir Harry Rawson, at the Hawkesbury Agricultural College on Thursday. His Excellency, accompanied by Miss Rawson, Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Smith, Captain Wilson, and Miss Wilson, arrived by special train in the morning. Among other visitors were Messrs. S. W. Moore, Minister for Mines and Agriculture, and Mr. W. S. Campbell, Director of Agriculture. After lunch the visitors were shown over the various departments of the college by the principal, Mr. W. H. Potts. The presentation of the prizes was then made by his Excellency, who in addressing the gathering referred to the remarkable progress of the institution since its inception, until it ranked at the present time as one of the best agricultural colleges in the world.

The Minister for Mines and Agriculture said that though the college was only about 15 years old, it had turned out about 800 young men, qualified to take their part in the development of the greatest of the primary industries of the State. A high value was attached to the work of the college, and on behalf of the Government he desired to say that the Government would continue to do its part in supporting so useful an institution.

Mr. Potts, principal of the college, spoke in warm terms of the application and diligence of the students, and said that the constant requests for the services of the students on stations, farms, dairies, cheese and butter factories, and sugar plantations, afforded proof that the training of the youths was sound and effective.

At night a dance was held in the college gymnasium, and was attended by about 200 guests.

Appended is the prize list:—

Diploma Students, 1906.—E. F. Young, Curlewis, Dux of College, principal's gold medal, diploma, Burdekin medal, first aggregate prize, best practical student, sheep and wool prize, veterinary science prize and best with blacksmith; R. M. Boydell, Melbourne, diploma, Burdekin medal, second aggregate prize, best in dairy; J. W. Radfield, Sydney, diploma, Burdekin medal, third aggregate prize; W. Brown, Darlinghurst, diploma, Burdekin medal; C. G. F. Grant, Cairns, Q., diploma, Burdekin medal; E. R. Langlands, Pelaw Main, diploma, Burdekin medal, best on plots; G. Woodburn, Stanmore, diploma, Burdekin medal; Y. C. W. Ormiston, Cowra, diploma, Burdekin medal; R. M. Newton, Coopernook, diploma, Burdekin medal, best in orchard, best with carpenter, best on piggery, best in garden; T. T. Hoole, Albany, Cape Colony, diploma, Burdekin medal; A. Joubert, Chinderah, diploma, Burdekin medal, best with engineer; G. W. Traill, Burwood, diploma; C. W. Beeson, Turramurra, diploma, Burdekin medal, W. H. L. Ripper, Kellerberrin, W.A., diploma, Burdekin medal; F. W. Chapman, Orange, practical certificate (farm, dairy, and orchard, best on poultry); J. M. Giles, Sydney, practical certificate (orchard and dairy); G. C. J. Machattie, Bathurst; L. G. M'Phillamy, Cookardinia; E. J. Lindsay, Bathurst; W. G. Graham, Moss Vale; A. N. M'Cormick, Hobart, Tas.; H. A. Hogg, Wallendbeen, practical certificate (dairy and orchard); E. A. Isaacs, Sydney, practical certificate, farm and dairy.

First Year Students, 1906.—R. G. May, Dunolly, first year certificate, first aggregate prize, best on farm, best with blacksmith; W. L. Waterhouse, Chatswood, first year certificate, second aggregate prize, best on orchard, best with engineer, best on poultry, best on piggery; C. P. Van Der Merwe, Bethlehem, Orange River Colony, first year certificate, third aggregate prize; A. B. Goard, Murrurundi, first year certificate, best in garden; S. G. C. Knibbs, Ashfield, first year certificate; O. V. Mumford, Dubbo, first year certificate; H. D. Barlow, Dubbo, first year certificate, best with carpenter; H. G. Watt, Balderodgery, first year certificate; G. N. Lockhead, West Maitland, first year certificate; R. L. C. Royle, Wahroonga, first year certificate; H. E. Wren, Bega, first year certificate, best on dairy, best on plots; G. S. Galloway, Moree; J. N. Whittet, West Maitland; D. K. Forsyth, Burwood; R. D. Owen, Wahroonga; A. A. White, Granville; [illegible]

Practical Class, 1906.—G. O. Dorward, Deniliquin, first year [illegible] first aggregate prize; C. E. H. Puckle, Toorak, Vic., second aggregate prize; H. K. Chapman, Sydney, third aggregate prize.

Special Course, Students, 1906.—Farm Class: V. L. Moore, New Angledool; A. C. Campbell, Randwick; H. Spenceley, Ipswich, Q.; H. S. Douglas, Woollahra, farm certificate.

Poultry Class.—A. F. Gray, Bathurst; H. J. Shaw, Wallerawang, poultry certificate.

Piggery Class.—O. R. Charlton, North Sydney; D. D. Kilgour, Chatswood; N. Landshut, Brighton, Vic.; F. L. Ross, Wallsend, piggery certificate.

Dairy Class, January to June Session, 1906.—P. R. Clements, Freeman's Reach, Department of Agriculture's prize for best butter-maker; G. W. Reilly, Petersham, Department of Agriculture's prize for best cheese-maker.

Dairy Class, July to December, 1906.—C. Ranfield, Barraba, Department of Agriculture's prize for best cheese-maker; G. A. Price, Annandale, Department of Agriculture's prize for best butter-maker.

Orchard Class.—V. Cooper, Randwick; B. V. Rogers, Croydon, orchard certificate.

Special Prize Essays (cheque for five guineas each).—Points of the horse in health and disease, G. C. J. Machattie. Anatomy and diseases of the horse's leg and foot, E. P. Young. How to make cheese and cure bacon, F. Smith. How to make a poultry farm pay, P. G. Gilder. How to make a dairy farm pay, D. R. F. Wilson.

H.A. College Ambulance Class, 1906.—The following students gained the certificate:—G. Addison, H. D. Barlow, R. F. Boydell, L. C. J. Broughton, H. K. Chapman, P. W. Chapman, O. R. Charlton, P. R. Clements, W. J. Cox, J. A. Croll, R. A. B. Davidson, P. A. Dingwall, C. O. Dorward, N. Dougall, O. L. Evers, W. S. Farmer, D. K. Forsyth, J. J. Gillies, A. B. Goard, A. R. Gowing, A. F. Gray, R. B. Hedley, R. M. Hope, K. B. Jamieson, R. G. Johnson, D. D. Kilgour, E. R. Langlands, M. M'Donald, G. C. Machattie, R. G. May, W. L. Moore, N. Morrisby, G. A. Price, C. E. N. Puckle, K. Reynolds, W. H. L. Ripper, B. V. Rogers, H. H. Ross, S. N. Smith, H. Spenceley, H. N. Snodgrass, R. Squire, L. K. Timbrell, M. A. Traill, W. L. Waterhouse, M. G. Watt, A. A. White, J. N. Whittet, R. A. Wilson, H. E. Wren.

LIBERAL AND REFORM ASSOCIATION.

The annual meeting of the Auburn branch of the Liberal and Reform Association was held on Thursday evening. The officers elected for the ensuing year were:—President, Mr. T. Simpson, J.P.; vice-presidents, Alderman Gibbons, J.P., and Alderman R. Lightfoot; secretary, J. Young; treasurer, C. Guyot. A working committee, consisting of the following members, was elected:—Alderman J. Lambeth, J.P., Messrs. F. Salisbury, G. Lewis, W. Stephenson, W. J. Robinson, W. Mitchell, F. Vanderberg, G. Easy, E. Evans, J. Scott, J. Perry, W. G. West, G. Latham, J. Field, A. M. Cowell, W. Denning, and H. Borlex. The Auburn branch decided to support Mr. John Nobbs, M.L.A. (the present member for the Granville electorate), for the forthcoming State election. Mr. Nobbs, M.L.A., gave an account of his stewardship and likely measures to be brought forward during the next session.

EMPIRE DAY CELEBRATIONS.

A preliminary meeting was held in the Mayor's room of the Randwick Town Hall on Thursday evening, to take the initiatory steps for celebrating Empire Day. The Mayor (Alderman J. C. M'Dougall) occupied the chair, and among those present were Mr. David Storey, M.L.A., and the teachers of the district schools. It was decided to hold a combined celebration of all the schools at the Randwick Town Hall on the morning of Empire Day, at which patriotic speeches will be delivered and a suitable musical programme rendered. Arrangements were also made for refreshments for the children. A subscription list was opened in the room. Mr. E. Strachan, council clerk, was appointed secretary and treasurer.

ANDERSON'S CALENDAR.

The illustrated calendar for 1907 issued by Messrs. Anderson and Co., seed merchants, of 399 George-street, contains 100 pages of matter relating to seeds and plants for farm, garden, and orchard. Garden notes for each month of the year are supplemented by hints concerning the importance of taking advantage of climatic conditions, as they occur throughout the State; and by up-to-date notes concerning the treatment of different kinds of soil, the preparing of seed beds, sowing, transplanting, thinning, and manuring. The vegetable section of the calendar is splendidly illustrated, and contains detailed information for the guidance of the expert and the amateur grower alike. A general list of flower-seeds and flowering plants is given, and is supplemented by descriptions of many kinds of blooms, and by information as to how the best effects in gardening can be obtained. Much space is given to farm seeds, orchard cultivation, tree and shrub growing, the care of greenhouse and stove plants, and to remedies for fighting insect pests.

ONE of Carter's Little Liver Pills after eating [illegible] appetite. [illegible]

BIRTHS.

BLACKETT.—April 25, 1907, at Nurse Brown's private hospital, 15 Upper William-street, Darlinghurst, the wife of A. T. Blackett, Coonamble—a son.

BOON.—April 21, at her residence, Clifford-street, Parramatta, the wife of Thomas Boon, of a son. Both doing well.

BRAUN.—April 23, at Campsie, the wife of Louis Braun, of a son.

COATES.—April 19, at Portland, Mudgee line, N.S.W., the wife of A. Ernest Coates—a daughter.

DAW.—April 23, at her residence, Ryeville, Hardy-street, North Botany, the wife of James Daw—a son.

DUNN.—April 15, 1907, at St. Helens, London-street, Enmore, the wife of Henry Lodwell Dunn—a daughter.

FARQUHAR.—April 25, at Kensington, Wardell-road, Petersham, to Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Farquhar—a son.

GODDARD.—April 9, at Ingogo, Palace-street, Petersham, the wife of Alfred D. Goddard—a son.

GRAHAM.—April 23, at Invergowrie, Raglan-street, Mosman, the wife of A. P. Graham—a daughter.

HAWTREE.—April 4, 1907, at Darlinghurst, the wife of F. C. Hawtree, of a daughter.

HEFFERNAN.—April 16, at South Bowenfels, the wife of G. J. Heffernan—a son.

IRWIN.—April 22, at private nursing home, Omagh, Moore Park, the wife of J. Boyd Irwin—a son.

NICHOLLS.—April 23, 1907, at Nurse Henderson's, Hiawatha, Newland-street, Waverley, the wife of John L. Nicholls, Tiger-street, Randwick—a son.

OSBORN.—March 25, 1907, at her residence, The Knoll, Cowra, the wife of A. F. Osborn—a daughter.

PALMER.—April 19, 1907, at Malta, Gundagai, the wife of F. W. C. Palmer, of a daughter.

POTTS.—April 21, at Elston, Carlisle-street, Ashfield, the wife of Charles W. Potts—a son.

POWER.—April 24, at Drummoyne House, Drummoyne, the wife of F. Danvers Power, of Penmaen, Raglan-street, Mosman, of a son.

PURBRICK.—April 14, 1907, at Ravenscraig, Mosman, the wife of Reginald Purbrick—a son.

SHIPWAY.—March 27, 1907, at Cabramatta, Buena Vista-avenue, Mosman, the wife of W. C. Shipway—a son.

WILTSHIRE.—April 18, at Milton House, Five Dock, the wife of B. B. Wiltshire—a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

APPLETON—SPENCER.—March 27, at Stanmore, by Rev. P. A. Dickson, William Appleton, eldest son of James Appleton, of Cremorne, to Annie, second daughter of Joseph Highson Spencer, of Stanmore.

ARMSTRONG—SMYTH-KING.—March 12, at St. Clement's Church, Mosman, by the Rev. E. Stanley Wilkinson, Harry, second son of Col. D. Armstrong, of Bishop Auckland, England, to Florence, youngest daughter of the late Rev. Canon Smyth-King, of Sydney.

AUDSLEY—WOODS.—April 3, 1907, at Christ Church, North Sydney, by the Rev. J. A. Reynolds, Henry Wilson, eldest son of the late Joseph B. Audsley, of Mosman, to Lucy May, only daughter of James H. Woods, of 21 Junction-street, North Sydney, formerly of Canterbury-road, Middle Park, Melbourne.

CAMPBELL—HASSALL.—April 3, 1907, at St. Peter's Church, Burwood, by the Rev. W. H. H. Yarrington, assisted by the Rev. C. A. Stubbin, William Douglas Adye, eldest son of James S. Campbell, of Cheltenham-road, Burwood, to Maud Helena, youngest daughter of the late Robert Francis Hassall, of Brisbane.

CAMPBELL—HAY.—April 4, 1907, at Osterley, Macleay-street, Potts Point, Sydney, by the Rev. John Walker, Robert, fifth son of Hugh Campbell, Beecroft, to Jane (Jeannie) Chalmers, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Hay, Merryanbone and Gunningbar.

DEGENHARDT—CLARKE.—April 10, 1907, at St. Paul's Church, Redfern, by the Rev. Canon Boyce, Henry William, second son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Degenhardt, Marrickville, to Katie, fourth daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Clarke, of Redfern.

ENGLAND—FISHER.—March 30, at St. John's Church, Branxton, by the Rev. C. F. Withey, Sidney Willis, second son of the late Amos England, of Barrowford, Lancashire, to Jane McLelland (Nellie), youngest daughter of the late Alfred W. Fisher, of Hobart, Tasmania.

EVISON—NOLAN.—March 19, 1907, at St. Mary's Cathedral, by the Rev. Father O'Gorman, Herbert Franklin, youngest son of the late Edward Evison, of Surrey, England, to Grace Eileen, third daughter of the late Stephen Joseph Nolan, of Bermondsey, London. Home papers please copy.

JAQUES—HALL.—April 17, at the Congregational Church, Devonshire-street, Surry Hills, by the Rev. G. H. Purnell, John Thomas Jaques, of Girilambone, to Annie Matilda Hall, daughter of W. J. Hall.

JUDGE—CLYBURN.—April 3, at St. Edward's R.C. Church, Canowindra, by Rev. Father O'Kennelly, Charles W., eldest son of M. Judge, Newbridge, and Mildred Clyburn, youngest daughter of late Thomas Clyburn, Canowindra.

LANGLEY—RIXON.—March 27, at Christ Church, St. Laurence, Sydney, by the Rev. Frederick John Albery, M.A., Edward George, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. E. Langley, of Redfern, to Malvina May (Veanie), second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. Rixon, of Petersham, late of Campbelltown.

MEYERS—DORN.—April 10, at Woollahra, by Rev. J. W. Gillett, Montague Arthur (Arthur), third son of the late Henry Solomon Meyers, to May, third daughter of the late Anthony Dorn.

McSWINEY—SAVAGE.—March 20, at Sydney, John Francis Augustus, son of Augustus F. McSwiney, Birmingham, England, to Mabel Louise, fourth daughter of Captain George S. Savage, Glenmore, Darling-street, Balmain, N.S.W. Queensland and Indian papers please copy.

NELSON—GRAHAM.—April 3, 1907, at Wesley Church, Chippendale, by the Rev. John Penman (President of the Methodist Conference), Percy Oliver, fifth son of Mr. G. R. Nelson, Woodhall, Macleay River, to Catharine (Cassie), youngest daughter of Mr. W. Graham, Ultimo, Sydney.

PALMER—FAHEY.—April 17, at St. John's Church, Rockdale, by the Rev. W. Bowers, Minnie, youngest daughter of the late Patrick Fahey, of Clare, Ireland, to Edward Ernest, fifth son of the late J. R. Palmer, London, England.

POINTING—DAVIS.—March 20, at St. John's, Darlinghurst, by Rev. E. C. Beck, Arthur Pointing, of Paddington, to Elsie Vida, only daughter of the late Mr. J. J. Davis, of Sydney.

RYDER—MIDDLETON.—April 10, 1907, at St. John's, Darlinghurst, by the Rev. E. C. Beck, Arthur Owen, elder son of the late Thomas K. Ryder, of Bowral, to Florence Gardiner, third daughter of Albert E. Middleton, of Darlinghurst, Sydney.

SIMPSON—McLEAN.—March 27, at St. John's Presbyterian Church, Paddington, by the Rev. Geo. Chalmers, John Harkness Simpson, youngest son of the late Col.-Sergeant D. W. Simpson, of Melbourne, to May, eldest daughter of William McLean, of Sodala.

SMITH—PARBURY.—April 3, 1907, at St. Aidan's Church of England, Annandale (Sydney), by the Rev. F. W. Reeve, George Edward, second son of Mr. John Smith, of Annandale, to Edith Ellen, only daughter of Mr. L. L. Parbury, of Wollaston, Leichhardt, formerly of Leicester, England.

SMITH—KENNEDY.—March 9, at St. John's, Gulgong, by Rev. Father O'Donnell, James Robert Smith, of Sodala, to Ellen (Birdie), second eldest daughter of M. J. Kennedy, 12 Hargrave-street, Paddington.

SOMMER—COOPER.—April 17, 1907, at St. Saviour's Church, Redfern, by the Rev. H. R. Maclean, William Robert Winning, elder son of William Sommer, Moore Park, to Caroline, younger daughter of William Cooper, Redfern.

STEDMAN—MOSS.—April 3, at St. Barnabas' Church, Mill Hill-road, Waverley, by the Rev. D. J. Knox, assisted by the Rev. George Brown, Ernest Albert, second son of Mr. George Stedman, of Redfern, to Victoria, third daughter of Mrs. Sydney Moss, of Woollahra, and the late Sydney Moss, also granddaughter of the late George Moss, merchant of this city. At home, Alicia, Bruce-street, Stanmore, 2nd and 3rd of May.

STONEY—STRONG.—March 27, at St. Andrew's Church, Wahroonga, by the Rev. H. C. Vindin, Sydney Robert, second son of Mr. T. Stoney, Manly, to Emily Mary, eldest daughter of Lieut.-Col. Strong, Wahroonga.

WILLIAMS—RHODES.—April 10, 1907, at St. Barnabas' Church, Mill Hill-road, Waverley, by Rev. D. J. Knox, Frank Arthur, only son of Francis Williams, Waverley, to Mollie Rhodes, eldest daughter of William Rhodes, Grafton. Lismore and Grafton papers please copy.

WINSTANLEY—HIBBERD.—March 26, 1907, at St. Thomas' Church, Darling-street, Rozelle, by Curator D. Creighton, Sydney, John Joseph, eldest son of Joseph Winstanley, of Keirville, Edgecliff-road, Woollahra, to Elsie May, sixth daughter of Thomas Hibberd, of Perritt-street, Rozelle.

GOLDEN WEDDINGS.

DOYLE—NETTLE.—April 23, 1857, at Singleton, by the Rev. John Rigney, Peter Doyle, Roads and Bridges Department, to Annie, eldest daughter of Peter Nettle, of Singleton. Present address, The Grange, Aberdeen, Hunter River.

MUNRO—KEARNEY.—April 27, 1857, at Geelong, Victoria, James Munro, of Invergordon, Scotland, to Clarinda Kearney, of Hobart, Tasmania. Present address, 188 Walker-street, Redfern, N.S.W.

SILVER WEDDING.

TONKIN—DWYER.—By special license, at St. Patrick's Church, by the Rev. J. B. Coue, S.M., April 27, 1882, John, eldest son of Jacob Tonkin, to Mary, eldest daughter of the late Phillip Dwyer, both of Sydney.

DEATHS.

AMSINCK.—April 23, at Cynthia, Waverley, Eugene Charles Alexander, younger son of late Captain Henry Amsinck, R.N., aged 68. Interred at Melbourne.

BENTLEY.—April 26, Cornelius Bentley, of Neville-street, Marrickville, aged 85 years. At rest.

BEMAN.—April 25, at the Perth Hospital (W.A.), Walter Robert Beman, beloved husband of Phyllis Beman, of Carlton (N.S.W.), third son of James Thomas Beman, of Leeds, England, aged 37. At rest. Leeds papers please copy.

BILLINGTON.—April 13, 1907 (killed at South Clifton by fall of earth), dearly beloved eldest son of Euphemia and Thomas Billington, of Carrington-avenue, Hurstville, and beloved brother of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Stuart, Cambridge-street, Penshurst, also beloved grandson of late Euphemia and James Brennan, West-street, Paddington, age 24 years 4 months. At rest.

CARNIE.—At her residence, 118 Denison-street, Newtown, Gertrude, dearly beloved wife of Wallace Hamilton Carnie, aged 25 years. At rest. Tasmanian papers please copy.

CARRINGTON.—March 12, after a long illness and severe operation, at Caterham Valley, Surrey, England, Jessie Carrington, eldest daughter of the late Henry Buligin, of Brisbane, Queensland, and dearly loved mother of Frances Wilson and Ida Harrison, aged 66 years.

CULLIFORD.—April 26, at Dr. Stirling's Private Hospital, Melbourne, George Archibald, youngest brother of S. H. and C. D. Culliford, Sydney.

CUNNINGHAM.—April 25, at the Lewisham Hospital, Theresa ("Tessie") Cunningham, aged 21 years and 10 months. A patient sufferer gone to rest. Inserted by her loving mother and sisters.

DICKINSON.—At his residence, Pendillo, Broughton-street, North Sydney, Benjamin Charles Dickinson, in his 70th year. Victorian and Western Australian papers please copy.

FOX (nee Coppen).—April 14, at Perth, of fever, Maud, beloved wife of G. A. Fox, and daughter of Fred. Coppen, Perth, W.A., late of Devonshire-street, Croydon, Sydney. Inserted by B. Duncan.

HOUREUX.—April 26, at Rocklily Hotel, Leon Houreux, aged 62. Funeral 3 p.m., Sat., 27th.

KIRWAN.—At his daughter's residence, 195 Old South Head-road, Waverley, April 22, in his 60th year, John Kirwan, third son of the late Major Kirwan, of 64th Regiment. Queensland and home papers please copy.

MACDONALD.—At her parents' residence, Blair Athol, Sara-street, Newcastle, Irene Gray (Rene), aged 5 years and 2 months.

MAGEE.—April 25, at her residence, Cambridge-street, Willoughby, Ellen, dearly beloved wife of Terence Magee, in her 60th year. By request, no flowers.

PARKER.—April 26, Benjamin Parker, aged 58, the builder and contractor of St. Joseph's Cathedral, Dunedin (N.Z.), beloved husband of Annie V. Parker, and beloved father of Mrs. Bert. Robbins. Dunedin (N.Z.) papers please copy.

PRYSE.—April 26, at her late residence, Railway Hotel, George-street, Windsor, Annie, the beloved wife of James Pryse, aged 42 years.

PRYSE.—April 26, at her late residence, Railway Hotel, George-street, Windsor, Mrs. James Pryse, mother of May, Eveline, and Elsie Venn; also of Ross Brown and Wal. McCormack, aged 42 years.

SOUTHALL.—April 26, 1907, at her residence, Calvert-street, Marrickville, Harriet Julia Southall. At rest.

IN MEMORIAM.

BRANIE.—In sad and loving memory of our dear and only son, John Joseph (Jack), who died April 26, 1906. Inserted by his fond mother and father, Teresa and Joseph Branie.

BRANIE.—In fond memory of my dear little friend, Jack Branie, who died April 26, 1906. Inserted by his loving friend, M. Bell.

CATLEY.—In loving memory of my dear daughter, Rachel Elizabeth, who departed this life April 27, 1899.

It is eight years ago to-day
Since my dear Rachel passed away.
The trial was hard, the shock severe,
To part with one I loved so dear.

Inserted by her loving mother, Sarah Rugless.

COLEMAN.—In loving memory of my dear sister, Ada Coleman, who departed this life April 27, 1906. Inserted by her loving sister, Julia Barnett. Dead, but not forgotten.

FORDHAM.—In loving memory of our dear little daughter, Pearl Blanch Nellie, who died at Little Coogee, April 27, 1900, aged 1 year 7 months. Our bud in heaven. Inserted by her sorrowing parents, Charles and Alice Fordham. English papers please copy.

ROUSE.—In sad but loving memory of our dear son and brother, Thomas, who departed this life April 27, 1900, at his residence, Shepherd-street, Darlington, aged 21 years.

Gone from us, but leaving memories
Death can never take away.

Inserted by his parents, sisters, and brothers.

HOUSSENLOGE.—In loving memory of our dear father, John B. Houssenloge, who departed this life April 27, 1902. Inserted by his loving son and daughter-in-law, John and Clara V. Though lost to sight, to memory ever dear.

HUNTER.—In loving memory of our dear sister-in-law, Ethel Mabel Hunter, who passed away April 27, 1906. Dearly loved and sadly missed. Inserted by S. Hunter and Mrs. G. Harvey.

JEANES.—In sad but loving memory of our dear mother, who passed away at Sydney Hospital, April 27, 1905. At rest. Inserted by her loving son and daughter-in-law, S. and L. Jeanes.

JEANES.—In loving memory of our dear mother, who died at Sydney Hospital April 27, 1905. At rest. Inserted by her loving son and daughters, George, Lucy, and Lizzie.

MANTOVA.—In loving memory of our dear mother, M. A. Mantova, who departed this life April 27, 1901. Inserted by her loving son and daughter, Alfred and Lilian Mantova, Killara, 9 Stafford-street, Stanmore.

MARTIN.—In sad but loving memory of our dear sister, Jane Stuart Martin, who departed this life on April 28, 1906.

Rest, dearest sister, sweetly rest,
They miss you most who loved you best.

Inserted by her loving brother and sister-in-law, James and Ada Martin.

MARTIN.—In loving memory of our dear sister and aunt, Jane Stuart, who departed this life April 28, 1906. Inserted by her loving brothers and nieces, Alexander, Walter, David, Harriet, and Edith Martin.

MARSHALL.—In loving remembrance of our dear father, William Marshall, who departed this life April 28, 1903, at his late residence, The Hermitage, College-street, Balmain; also our dear mother, Caroline, who departed this life July 30, 1906, at her son-in-law's residence, Balmain-road, Leichhardt.

A painful shock, a dreadful blow.
Oh, parents dear, we miss you so.
Our loss is great; we'll not complain,
But trust in God to meet again.
Rest, dearest parents, sweetly rest,
They miss you most who loved you best.

Inserted by their loving daughters and son-in-law.

McVIE.—In loving memory of my dear wife, who departed this life April 27, 1906, at her residence, New Canterbury-road, Dulwich Hill. Inserted by her loving husband, Thomas.

McVIE.—In loving memory of our dear mother, Mary Elizabeth McVie, who departed this life April 27, 1906. Inserted by her loving sons, James and John McVie.

McVIE.—In affectionate memory of our dear mother, who fell asleep in Jesus on April 27, 1906.

Tho' thy life here is done,
Thy crown of victory's won!
Gained is the Lord's "Well done."
Rest, mother, dear.

Treasured in memory by her daughter and son-in-law, George and Maggie Booth.

McVIE.—In loving memory of our dear mother, who passed away April 27th, 1906. Inserted by her loving son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. McVie.

MORRIS.—In sad but ever loving memory of my dear wife, Elizabeth Morris, who, just four years ago to-morrow, Sunday, April 28, 1903, passed out of my life for ever. Regretted by all that knew her. A loving wife and a devoted mother. Dearly loved, but sadly missed.

What happy hours I once enjoyed,
How sweet their memory still;
But they have left an aching void
This world can never fill.
I dream I see your dear, sweet face,
And kiss your loving brow,
And whisper, as I loved you then,
I love your memory now.
The heart's keen anguish only those can tell
Who bid the dearest and the best "farewell."

Inserted by her ever loving husband, George Morris.

SHEPHERD.—In sad and loving memory of our dear daughter and sister, Florence M. E., who departed this life on April 28, 1904, aged 18½ years, of St. Peters. Inserted by her loving parents, G. and M. Shepherd, brothers G. and Tom, sister Lavinia.

SHEPHERD.—In sad but loving memory of our dear sister, Florrie, who departed this life April 28, 1904, aged 18½ years, of St. Peters.

Three years have passed, and still to memory dear,
A loving name we breathe and shed a tear.
Time does not alter love so deep and true.
Three years bring back our grief anew.

Inserted by her loving sisters, Bertha Robinson, Ethel Barker, and Winifred Selman.

SHEPHERD.—In ever loving memory of our dear sister, Florrie, who departed this life April 28, 1904. L.H.S. Inserted by her loving sisters, Minnie, Ethel, and Bertha.

SHEPHERD.—Sacred to the memory of my dear friend and companion, Florrie, who departed this life April 28, 1904. R.I.P. Inserted by her ever loving friend, Katie Gallagher.

SMITH.—In loving memory of our dear daughter and sister, Lottie, who departed this life April 27. As the ivy clings to the oak, so shall our memory cling to thee. Inserted by her loving father, mother, and sisters.

WAUGH.—In fond and loving remembrance of my dear husband and our father, John Waugh, who departed this life April 28, 1906, at Mount Lewis, near Liverpool. His memory lives within the hearts of those who knew his worth. Inserted by his loving wife and family, and grandchildren.

WEIR.—In sad remembrance of my dear sister, Mary Weir, late of Waverley, who died at North Shore Hospital on April 28, 1905.

We miss you, dear Mary, and mourn in silence unseen,
And dwell in memory of days that have been.
Leaves may wither, but memory never.

Inserted by her loving sister, Sara Pakes.

RETURN THANKS.

Mr. and Mrs. PATRICK KENNEY and FAMILY, of Australia-street, Woollahra, desire to return their sincere THANKS to their friends, relatives, and neighbours for their kindness and sympathy, letters of condolence, cards, and telegrams, and floral tributes, special thanks to Father O'Riley and Father Patrick and the Sisters of Holy Cross Church; also Dr. Burge, for their attention during their recent sad bereavement; and Mrs. Charles Kinsela for funeral arrangements.

The Friends of the late WILLIAM JOHN McKAY desire to return sincere THANKS to the doctors, matron, and nurses of the St. George's Cottage Hospital for their kindness and attention to him in his illness.

The Family of the late ELIZABETH ANN HENMAN desire to tender their sincere THANKS to all kind friends for letters, cards, and expressions of sympathy, also Dr. Relly, Balmain, in their recent sad bereavement.

Mr. and Mrs. THOMAS BILLINGTON and FAMILY, of Carrington-avenue, Hurstville, also Miss D. HEATH, of Kogarah, desire to return their sincere and heartfelt THANKS to their many kind friends who sent telegrams, letters, cards, and floral tributes, etc., during their sad bereavement in the death of their son, Joseph Billington; also the miners of South Clifton and their wives, and the employees of Scarborough railway station, and the Rev. Mr. Dillon, of Hurstville, who held service in the house and at the grave.

The Family of the late Mrs. ELLEN GORDON, New Zealand Hotel, William-street, desire to return their sincere THANKS to their numerous friends for kind expressions of sympathy and condolence, letters, telegrams, wreaths, etc., in their recent sad bereavement.

Mrs. W. EVANS and FAMILY, of Oneida, Croydon-road, Croydon, desire to return their sincere and heartfelt THANKS to their many kind friends for letters, telegrams, cards, and floral tributes, and to the Nurses of the J Ward of the Sydney Hospital, and also to Mr. Fred. Hawkins, of Mosman, in their recent sad bereavement.

The Misses DEERY desire to return their heartfelt THANKS to the Rev. Father O'Gorman, also the Sisters of Charity, and their numerous friends, for the very kind expressions of sympathy during their late sad bereavement, occasioned by the death of their mother, Honorah Deery, of 66 Surrey-street, Darlinghurst.

Mr. J. M. MEGSON, Capt. and Mrs. NEIL HANSEN and FAMILY return their sincere THANKS to the Rev. Mother, Sisters Philomena, Pius, Ambrose, Martin, Winifred, and other Sisters of the Community of the Little Company of Mary, Lewisham Hospital, for their kindness and attention to their late beloved wife and daughter, Julia M. Megson. They also return their sincere thanks to Drs. S. M'Kay and Burfitt, League of Wheelmen, Cyclist Association, Australian B. Club, and E. S. B. Club, Bennett and Wood, N.T.O. Oddfellows, Lodge Progress, Newtown, Mr. and Mrs. R. Hollis, M.L.A., Mrs. J. Johnston (who had her arm cut twice in trying to save Mrs. Megson's life); also all kind friends who sent floral tributes, cards, letters, telegrams, and calls in our great bereavement.

Mr. and Mrs. ERNEST W. BOLES, of Parr-street, Rockdale, desire to return their sincere THANKS to their many kind friends and neighbours, who sent cards, letters, and floral tributes of sympathy in the loss of their dear little daughter, Sylvia May.

Mr. and Mrs. JAMES MURPHY and FAMILY, Knox-street, City-road, desire to return their sincere THANKS to their many kind friends for letters, telegrams, and kind sympathy in the recent sad bereavement of their dear mother and grandma.

Mrs. MAY ELLIOTT, of Chesterfield, Westmoreland-street, F. Lodge, desires to return her grateful THANKS to the Doctor and Nurses of the R.P.A. Hospital for their extreme kindness to the late Miss Mabel M'Lean; also to her many friends, who sent floral tributes, telegrams, and letters of sympathy during her sad bereavement.

Mr. and Mrs. F. O'BRIEN, of Mitchell-street, Glebe, desire to return their sincere and heartfelt THANKS to their many kind friends, in their recent sad bereavement, for letters, telegrams, cards, floral tributes, etc.; also to thank Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Bray and employees of same, and employees of Wallace and Co. and Hougton and Co., and thanking Dr. Anderson, of Leichhardt, for his kind and constant attention to our late dearly loved sister Lottie.

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Reserve Liability of Proprietors under the Charter	1,600,000
	£4,510,000

SEVENTY-THIRD ANNUAL REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS OF THE BANK OF AUSTRALASIA.
With the ACCOUNTS for the HALF-YEAR to 15th OCTOBER, 1906.
Presented to the Proprietors at the Annual General Meeting held on Thursday, 28th March, 1907.

REPORT.

The Directors submit to the Proprietors the Balance-sheet as at 15th October last, with the Profit Account for the half-year to that date. After providing for rebate on bills current, for British and Colonial rates and taxes, and for all bad and doubtful debts, the net profit for the half-year amounted to £170,511 7s 1d.

To this sum must be added £17,350 5s 6d, brought forward from the previous half-year, making a total of £187,861 12s 7d, out of which the Directors have declared a dividend for the half-year at the rate of 12 per cent. per annum, or £2 8s per share, and a bonus of 8s per share, free of income tax.

The Dividend and Bonus will absorb £112,000, and the Directors have further appropriated £30,000 to the Reserve Fund, £12,000 in reduction of the cost of bank premises, and £17,000 as a Bonus to the staff of 10 per cent. on their salaries. There will then remain £16,861 12s 7d to be carried forward to the next account.

The Dividend and Bonus will be payable, in London and in the colonies, on 30th inst.

The Directors have to record, with much regret, the death of their colleague, Mr. Samuel Joshua. He was elected to the board in the year 1873. He had always evinced the greatest interest in the bank and its affairs, and his services were greatly appreciated by his colleagues.

The Directors also regret to announce that Mr. Ames Hellicar, owing to ill-health, is retiring from the office of superintendent, to which he was appointed only eighteen months since. His service in the bank has extended over a period of 43 years. The Directors have appointed in his place Mr. C. R. Cowper, who has been acting superintendent during Mr. Hellicar's ill-health.

ALBAN GIBBS, Chairman.

4 Threadneedle-street, London, 18th March, 1907.

PROFIT ACCOUNT, FROM APRIL 16, 1906, TO OCTOBER 15, 1906.

Undivided profit, April 16, 1906			£113,350 5 6
Less: Dividend, 5th October, 1906			96,000 0 0
			£17,350 5 6
Profit for the half-year to October 15, 1906, after deducting rebate on bills current at balance date (£10,289 17s 9d) and making provision for all bad and doubtful debts		£321,036 13 10	
Less:			
I. Charges of Management—Colonial—Salaries and allowances to the colonial staff, including the superintendent's department, and 172 branches and agencies	£93,711 18 8		
General expenses, including rent, repairs, stationery, travelling, etc	24,306 19 7		
London—Salaries	9,027 15 7		
General expenses	2,801 11 5		
	£129,848 5 3		
II. Rates and Taxes—Colonial, £11,964 18s; London, £8,712 3s 6d	20,677 1 6		
		150,525 6 9	
			170,511 7 1
Total amount of unappropriated profit			£187,861 12 7
From which deduct— For transfer to reserve fund	£30,000 0 0		
For reduction in cost of bank premises	12,000 0 0		
For bonus to staff	17,000 0 0		
			59,000 0 0
Leaving available for dividend			£128,861 12 7

BALANCE-SHEET, OCTOBER 15, 1906.

Dr. LIABILITIES.			ASSETS.	Cr.
Circulation	£470,607 0 0		Specie, bullion, and cash balances	£3,465,940 5 9
Deposits	16,601,234 12 3		Loans at call and at short notice	2,137,000 0 0
Bills payable and other liabilities	2,054,122 19 11		British Government Securities	967,140 12 2
	£19,125,964 12 2		India and Colonial Governments' securities	164,697 8 7
Capital	£1,600,000 0 0			£6,734,778 6 6
Reserve fund (Of which £500,000 is invested in 2½ per cent. Consols at 85, the remainder being used in the business of the bank.)	1,310,000 0 0		Bills receivable, advances on securities, and other assets	15,160,550 14 3
Profit account: Undivided balance	128,861 12 7		Bank premises in Australia, New Zealand, and London	269,497 4 0
		3,038,861 12 7		
		£22,164,826 4 9		£22,164,826 4 9

F. H. BLOGG, Accountant.
R. W. JEANS, Manager.

We have examined the cash and securities in London, and the London books, and have verified the transfers from the several branches in the Commonwealth and New Zealand, and we beg to report that, in our opinion, the foregoing is a full and fair balance-sheet of the bank, and that it exhibits a true and correct view of the state of the bank's affairs as shown by the books.

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THE SYDNEY MAIL ON WEDNESDAY NEXT will—to borrow an apt expression—"teem with good things." It is rarely indeed that the features are so many and so varied. Moree and Wellington Shows will be illustrated. A page entitled, "Some Prize-winning Stock," will interest Western breeders who were represented at Bathurst. For other features see our advertisement on Monday and Tuesday. All that we need say at present is that the issue will justify the sentence that opens this paragraph. Meanwhile we may draw attention to the fact that in last Wednesday's issue there appeared Lesson I. in Esperanto. This new universal language, which originated with a Polish professor, is exciting much interest all over the world. One of the greatest American reviews has undertaken the pioneering work in the United States of America, and the press everywhere is recognising the value of the study. Esperanto may have its weak points, but if taken up only as a "hobby" it will give great pleasure, which may extend so far as to include regular correspondence with other students in Russia, France, Germany, Turkey, and elsewhere. Lesson II. appears on Wednesday. Another matter of interest is that special attention is now being accorded golf, and the notes on the sport are bright and topical. Golfers are invited to take note. Riflemen all over the State will find a special column of unique value. Our weekly Stock Exchange letter should not be missed by investors. The Sydney Mail is the best paper for farmers and pastoralists.

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For and on behalf of the Board of Directors,
J. RUSSELL FRENCH,
General Manager.

Bank of New South Wales,
Sydney, 20th March, 1907.

BANK OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

NOTICE is hereby given that a SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING of the Shareholders of the Bank will be held at the Chief Banking-house, George-street, Sydney, at the close of the Half-yearly Meeting, on WEDNESDAY, the 29th day of May next, to consider the propriety of increasing the Capital of the Bank by the creation of new shares.

For and on behalf of the Board of Directors,
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The Sydney Morning Herald.

SATURDAY, APRIL 27, 1907.

THE EMPIRE IN COUNCIL.

There is something about that gathering of Premiers with representatives of the Lords and Commons of England in the historic hall of William Rufus on Wednesday which touches the imagination of the race, and of Greater Britain in all its provinces. It was, as Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman said, a family gathering celebrating under the parent roof-tree its own intimate family relationship. The sons of the Empire had come home, and sat down at table with their own mother-folk and kindred. They met, as it were, by the cradle of their liberties—not only the cradle of the last to receive the rights and power of self-government, but also of the first which reared the original fabric of British constitutionalism itself. Mr. A. J. Balfour happily expressed what was probably in all minds when he said that in Westminster Hall, if anywhere, the guests of the Parliament should feel at home, since it was within those venerable precincts that their liberties were cradled. "Our guests have as much right to the historic memories suggested by this hall as ourselves," he went on to say, much as the head of some historic house might welcome the return of its scions from oversea. For, after all, within a few yards of where this gathering met occurred most of the creative events in British history which have had most to do with the making of the nation. The brain and heart of the Empire are there. The Hall of Rufus, St. Stephen's, the historic Chapter House where the infant Parliament first met, the shrine where the royalty of England was crowned and lies buried, the scene of the trial of Charles I., are all within a few yards of each other, and there are few spots of earth which crowd together so many and so remarkable historic associations.

It is no matter for wonder, then, that the imagination of the gathering was touched, and its enthusiasm stirred, by the reflections suggested by such an occasion amidst such surroundings. Fresh from the conference at which the representatives of Greater Britain sitting in consultation with representives of the British Government had been engaged in making history, many of those present must have been impressed by the thought that the making of England and her Empire lies not altogether in the venerable past, but that it is prominent among the processes of to-day. The principle of growth has not weakened with the years, nor have its forces been expended. The States of Greater Britain are as active as ever were those forefathers referred to as having conquered for themselves freedom and self-government. This was brought home to the distinguished assemblage by more than one striking circumstance. The representatives of the great sister-States of the Commonwealth of Australia and the Dominion of Canada were living reminders of this strenuous vitality; and in General Botha, with his acknowledgment to the mother of Parliaments of the gift of self-government to the Transvaal, there was the promise of a time when a third great State in the shape of a federated South Africa would complete the Imperial trinity. Nowhere else in the world to-day could such a scene be repeated, in any centre haunted by so many historic figures and recollections. No doubt, too, it was in the minds of all that the present Conference had just offered a signal example of the truth that the Empire is always growing and developing, in the recognition given that the "colonies" are to be regarded as such no longer, but as self-governing equal States with the mother-country, facing the world and sharing the high privilege of nationhood on equal terms. The note of congratulation on this achievement rang through most of the addresses. "They all derived their life from independent representative government," said the Prime Minister, and Mr. Balfour was delighted to welcome "the representatives of the great sister-nations." In this key the proceedings were pitched throughout, and in so enthusiastic a fashion as to show beyond doubt that British public opinion is ripe for the development foreshadowed, if not begun, by the Conference, and set forth in the spirit and letter of Lord Elgin's resolutions.

In Australia, perhaps, there is a feeling that the Conference has in a measure gone beyond the order of its leave, or rather beyond the public knowledge of what was coming. We were not prepared for Mr. Deakin's enthusiastic outburst over preferential trade and the whole-hearted way in which he spoke, not on behalf of his own minority-section in the Commonwealth Parliament, but as expressing the mind of Australia as a whole. Neither were we prepared to hear of him advocating something that his critics did not hesitate to describe as Imperial Federation, though he disclaims any such intention. It came as a surprise to most of us to find the Conference demanding radical alterations in the relations of the States with the Colonial Office, and of these conferences with the Government and its head. These things, or some of them at least, for the moment took the Commonwealth's breath away, and we are not certain yet that Mr. Deakin went to London with anything like this spirited programme in his pocket. It is just as likely that he has been swept off his feet by the rush of the new atmosphere in which he has found himself. And of course Mr. Deakin's little gusts of eloquent enthusiasm are not unknown to us. Also, we are aware that while it is open to the Colonial Office to modify its methods of doing business with the self-governing States much as it and the Home Government please, and while it is in the power of the Conference to decide on meeting regularly every four years, the steps which it may be necessary for the States to take in co-operation must be ratified and authorised by ourselves. It may be, therefore, that the work of the Conference up to the present is but a tentative and experimental approach towards the objects aimed at. The whole matter will receive in the local Parliaments that attentive consideration and discussion which it certainly has not yet had here, and if a certain "craven fear of being great" has anything behind it in the shape of a possible shortening of our constitutional privileges, this possibility will be thoroughly and patiently threshed out in due season. We have seen the enthusiasm of Empire pass through many phases, Jingoism, Kiplingism, Chamberlainism have followed each other, and helped to correct or further public opinion as they came. Now we have arrived at the stage of the proclamation of a certain equality between the self-governing States and the mother-country. There must be a response to all this in one way or the other, and although the Conference is but a consultative body, it is not to be expected that its present attitude, the Elgin resolutions, the action of the British Government, and such a national festival as that just held in Westminster Hall, can pass for nothing.

THE FATHER OF THE NOVEL.

In this the age of the Circulating Library no celebration should interest a wider community than that to mark the anniversary of the birth of Henry Fielding, who was born on April 22, 1707. He was, in the words of Scott, "the father of the novel." As pictures of manners his works are one of the most valuable documents of contemporary history; as studies in human nature they reflect the strength and the weakness not only of his contemporaries, but of mankind. It is convenient for his worshippers to commemorate the year of his birth, but it was not until he entered middle life that he invented that "entirely new form of entertainment" by which he is remembered. In the minds of the people to whom a novel is not a sedative but a tonic, the author of "Joseph Andrews," "Tom Jones," "Amelia," and "Jonathan Wild the Great" can stand on his own merits unaided by historical consideration. What makes him doubly interesting, however, is his place in the story of our literature. Behind him are on the one side Pope and Addison, the witty, the cultivated, and the emotionless, with Shaftesbury and Clarke, two most edifying philosophers; on the other hand were Steele and Mandeville, Swift and Defoe, painters of life, but painters who did not see that the life about them was a fit subject for a picture. By the side of him was Richardson, the drawing-room novelist, if ever there was one, whose latest number was no less fashionable than a volume of Omar Khayyam is now. Into this atmosphere came Fielding with the ideal equipment for a revolutionary. His character and career have been very variously estimated, and are so still. Richardson hated him, and was outraged by a popularity which he could never understand. Johnson would not sit down with him, though he sat up all night to read "Amelia," and Lady Mary Wortley Montagu, who suited her views to her correspondents, advised her daughter not to read him. In later years estimates of his character have been more generous, and the evidence of contemporary gossip has been critically analysed by men who could not reconcile report with the evidence to be derived from his works and letters.

Lady Mary compared him to her cousin, Sir Richard Steele, and there seems to have been a close resemblance between the two writers. Fielding was improvident; he spent money as fast as he made it; he was generous before he was just, and, like all the improvident, was the idol of women and children. He belonged to the tribe who sin often and repent bitterly, and by their friends are always forgiven. No doubt his Bohemianism has been exaggerated, for the mass of his works, plays, pamphlets, and novels proves that his was a life of courage and application, not destroyed or even impaired by loose living. In the world of books he was educated at Eton and at Leyden, where the two Greek authors Aristophanes and Lucian gained a hold on his mind. In the book of the world he was educated in London. There he found himself after his adventures bound, as he said, to choose between becoming a hack-writer and driving a hackney coach. He chose the stage, and wrote for a number of years, until he became certain he would never write a profitable play. He then began to read for the Bar, and after many years of obscurity was appointed a Middlesex justice, where "by composing instead of inflaming the quarrels of porters and beggars, which I blush when I say hath not been universally practised, and by refusing to take a shilling from a man who most undoubtedly would not have had another left, I reduced an income of about £500 a year of the dirtiest money upon earth to £300, a considerable portion of which remained with my clerk." The details of Fielding's life are of interest to the student of one of the most interesting periods in English history, because of their extraordinary variety. For the readers of his novels, or of any novels, it is indispensable to know them because of their effect on his work. What Henley says of Dumas seems to have been true of him, he was "the generous, the humane, the seven-and-seventy times to be forgiven." Because of his human sympathy he was disgusted with what sympathy the cold hypocrisy of Richardson, who kept up every polite convention with a success that moved Fielding to laughter, and the irony of his novel is largely due to his indignation at seeing life represented not as it is, but as the little bookseller thought it ought to be.

His connection with the stage, while it is one of the causes of his writing fiction, is accountable for his failure to make use of some of the material most useful to a novelist. He was the first to conceive the idea of writing the history of a man's life as a prose epic, and in "Tom Jones" he put his idea into practice. But the novel is divided into episodes as sharply as the play is divided into acts, and the story owes no more to the suggestion of the scenery than it could have gained on the stage in Covent Garden. To put "Tom Jones" beside any novel of Hardy's is to ignore the passage of time, but Fielding and Hardy each deal with the huntsman, the farmers, and the dairymaids of Wessex. Hardy's work is renowned for his power of suggesting the influence of surroundings on character; the adventures of Tom Jones and Sophia and Squire Western might have happened in any county in England but for the fact that Fielding's home was in Wiltshire. His style was pervaded by the elegant latinity then admired, as witness Sophia's reply to one of Mr. Jones's proposals, "that it did not her duty to her father forbid her to follow her own inclinations, ruin with him would be more welcome to her than the most affluent fortune with another man." But in the qualities which make for immortality Fielding holds his own with the great imaginative writers, however great the progress of his successors in knowledge of the resources of their art. That abundance of animal vitality that accounts for many of his failings is responsible for the fascination exercised by his books on men of such various temperaments as Thackeray and Borrow, Henley and Leslie Stephen. He excelled in wit and irony, and in the wisdom of common sense, but his real excellence is his power for absorbing the attention of his readers in a story he tells. That is a reward unattainable by the self-conscious artist; it is given only to the author who spends his strength on each book as if it were to be his last, and on each character as if it were a manifestation of himself. What makes his bi-centenary doubly worth commemorating is that it falls at a time when the distinction of most living writers is cleverness rather than sympathy. The cry of "back to Fielding," or "back to Scott," may be confidently addressed to the large body of readers who in their entertainment look for friendship as well as for enlightenment on the dark places of human nature.

To-day's "Herald."—Mr. Lucy describes this week the advancement of Mr. Winston Churchill, and mentions that he had actually accepted the Irish Secretaryship when the cautious C.-B. called a halt. Our American letter deals fully with the Wall-street panic, the railroad situation, the latest Central American war, and the Mail Subsidy Bill, which failed. We begin to-day the publication of a series of articles by our special representative on work and prospects in the Lithgow Valley, the future Birmingham of Australia. Mr. E. W. O'Sullivan deals with the day we officially and not otherwise celebrate, the 28th of April, the date of Cook's landing in Australia. Amateurs will be interested in the directions given for minimising rose pests in our article "In the Garden." There are also three short papers on "An Enchanted Grove," "Migration of Birds," and "With a Gun at Dawn."

Captain Cook's Landing.—The 137th anniversary of the landing of Captain Cook on Australian soil will be celebrated at Kurnell this afternoon. Special arrangements have been made for conveying invited guests to the spot. His Excellency the State Governor, who is to perform the ceremony of breaking the flag, will be received on landing by a guard of honour formed of bluejackets from H.M.S. Pyramus, which is to lie at anchor about the spot where the Endeavour first brought up. The company will proceed to the flagship, where speeches are to be delivered by the Governor and the Premier, and his Excellency will break the flag, whereupon the Pyramus and the batteries at Bare Island will fire a salute of 21 guns. A programme of music will be rendered during the afternoon by the Metropolitan Police Band, under the conductorship of Bandmaster Bentley. Special tramway facilities have been arranged to enable visitors to reach Botany, and a fleet of steamers will make frequent trips between Brighton-le-Sands, Botany, La Perouse, and Kurnell, the band of the N.S.S. Sobraon will render a programme of music in the afternoon in Hyde Park, and in the evening the band of the R.A.A. will also render patriotic numbers. The A.N.A., following the practice of previous years, is decorating in an appropriate manner the Cook statue in Hyde Park, and in the evening, at 8 p.m., a floral tribute in the shape of an anchor will be placed at the base of the monument. The Premier has been invited to perform this ceremony. The Lord Mayor and aldermen of the City Council have also been invited to assist in the function.

No Sympathy with Socialism.—Mr. G. S. Briner, M.L.A., while declining to define his attitude respecting the coalition movement, says that he would be no party to an electioneering compact with the socialists. He says he has nothing in common with the Labour party, and whatever his attitude towards the Liberal party, he certainly would give no countenance to any proposal for a compact of any description with Mr. M'Gowen and his followers.

Reorganisation of the Prison System.—A suggestion was made by a member of a deputation yesterday that Darlinghurst Gaol should be taken as a site for the Mint, rather than a portion of the Observatory Hill area. It was the tendency, it was added, in large cities to remove gaols to the country. Mr. Carruthers was against any suggestion of the kind. He said the reorganisation of the prison system was likely to be carried out on the completion of the penitentiary at Randwick, as it would enable them to have a gaol entirely for women in one locality, and not have a few female prisoners here and a few there, with as many matrons almost as prisoners. Part of the scheme was, he said, to utilise Darlinghurst Gaol for a particular class of prisoners. There would be no long term prisoners incarcerated there. It was necessary that there should be a prison almost in the centre of the city; and as Darlinghurst was eminently suited for the purpose they had in view, there was no hope in the near future of the demolition of that gaol. If it were to be got rid of for that or any like purpose another gaol would have to be erected in the city.

Goat Island.—A deputation which waited upon Mr. Carruthers yesterday protesting against the Mint being erected on the Observatory Hill site, made reference to Goat Island as a place which should be secured as a reserve for the people. The Premier remarked that the Federal authorities would not give up Goat Island. He had endeavoured to get it back, even to offering them other sites in exchange, but without avail. They claimed that it was vested in them under the Constitution Act, and refused to part with their rights. What he wanted the island for was as a resting-place for bridges. They could not have a bridge across the harbour spanning it right across, but they could have a bridge over Darling Harbour to Balmain, one from Balmain to Goat Island, and another from Goat Island to Ball's Head, and by that means connect Balmain with the city and the city itself with North Sydney. This, continued Mr. Carruthers, opened up possibilities for a splendid engineering scheme, and he therefore thought Goat Island should only be used for that purpose, and as a place of recreation. Mr. J. D. Fitzgerald, who had mentioned Goat Island, said he would not make the slightest objection to the island being used for the purpose mentioned by the Premier, and the deputation generally applauded Mr. Carruthers' suggestion.

The Poor Cab Horse.—At a meeting of the Sydney Labour Council, held on Thursday, Mr. F. C. Burke, delegate of the Sydney and Suburban Cabmen's Union, urged that cab proprietors should be prevented from working their horses or allowing them to be worked more than ten hours per day of seven days, or 12 hours per day of six days. He said that some horses were being worked daily from 18 to 20, and in some instances 22 hours out of the 24. During these hours but a small sugar bag of feed was supplied the animals, and very often that was of an inferior quality. It was said that horses had been kept in harness for as long as three days, during which time they were unprotected by any covering from wet and cold weather. The existence of a cab rank in Pitt-street South between the hours of 12.30 a.m. and 5.30 a.m., and allowing cab ranks to form in the vicinity of the wharfs eight and ten hours before arrival of passenger boats were said to be responsible for the excessive hours the cab horses were kept out. It was by no means an unusual occurrence for a horse to fall down on the ranks through exhaustion, as out of a period of 24 hours as many as three drivers had been in charge of the same horse, and Mr. Burke argued that there should not be more than one driver in charge of any one horse, within each 24 hours for purpose of hire. A letter was read from the secretary of the Women's Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals applauding the action of the union's delegate. Mr. Burke submitted a motion embodying his views, and affirming that the Chief Secretary should be written to on the subject. The motion was carried unanimously.

Progress in Papua.—On the motion of the Rev. J. King, the Congregational Union of Australasia yesterday expressed the hope that one of the corner stones of Commonwealth legislation would be the effective protection of the aboriginal inhabitants, and the providing of unhampered opportunity for such progress as they might be capable of attaining. The natives did not want for their own use all the land of the great island, but they numbered approximately the same as the people in Sydney, and they should have freedom to improve themselves in every way. The Rev. Dr. Lawes, who seconded the motion, remarked that, while the good faith of the Commonwealth was not questioned, certain suggestions had been made which, if accepted, would mean a serious departure from the promises made by the Imperial Government. On the day the British authority in Papua was proclaimed, two proclamations were made—one to the world, and the other to Papua—the latter containing the sentence: "Your lands will be secured to you." This had been carefully translated to the natives on the coast. He had accompanied the Admiral along the eastern coast, while the late Rev. Dr. J. Chalmers had gone west. The assurance given the natives was accompanied by all the pomp and ceremony of the presence of six men-of-war. That this promise was not strained or misunderstood was shown by the Royal Instructions given to Sir William M'Gregor on the annexation of 1888. One of these read: "The Administrator is to the utmost of his power to promote religion and education among the native inhabitants of the possession; he is to take care to protect them in their persons and in the enjoyment of their land and other possessions."

Supreme Court Term.—The second Term of the Supreme Court for the present year will be opened on Monday next, and as far as the business before the Full Court is concerned, the list is unusually light. There are only two motions nisi for new trial, two motions on notice, and three matters coming under the category of "general motions." There are also nine demurrers and special cases (including four land appeals), two Crown cases, and two divorce appeals.

Arbitration Court Awards.—The Arbitration Court was yesterday called upon to hear two applications by the Newcastle Wharf Labourers' Union for penalties in connection with alleged breaches of an award of the Court. The first summons set out that the respondent had employed non-unionists to discharge ballast from a ship at Newcastle, and the second charged the captain of the ship Leyard Brothers with employing the same kind of labour when having his vessel shifted. Both applications were dismissed, the Court holding that the applicant union had failed to prove its cases under the particular clauses under which it proceeded. In the second matter his Honor, in delivering the judgment of the Court, said the real offence that had probably been committed was the employing of men at less than the award rate of wages, under a pretence that they were being taken on as sailors, and were part of the crew. That, however, was not the offence charged, and quite probably if it had it could not have been proved, owing to the difficulty of getting evidence. "It seems to me," said his Honor, "that if this kind of thing goes on in Newcastle, it will be necessary, when a case like this comes before us, to come down very smartly on the parties when they are proved guilty." His Honor went on to say they had previously heard a good deal of this sort of thing, and he was very much inclined to think there were practices at Newcastle of an unfair and undesirable kind.

The Lands Commission Case.—Mr. H. C. Webster, late manager of the head office of the Australian Joint Stock Bank, was under cross-examination during the whole of yesterday in the Central Criminal Court while the charge against W. P. Crick and W. N. Willis was being heard. When the Court rose on the previous day argument was proceeding as to whether Mr. Webster should be allowed to state what were certain "things" which were brought to him by one of the tellers in the bank on December 5, 1901. The defendants had objected to the admission of the evidence, but Mr. Justice Simpson, after a short argument, now allowed it, and the answer came, "Australian Joint Stock Bank £50 notes." These notes, it was alleged, had been given to Mr. Dent, a customer of the bank. Mr. Dent deposed to paying them to the defendant Willis for performing some land agency work for him; but it had been sworn that Mr. Dent had them in his possession from December 2, 1901, until the 7th, whereas the evidence now was that some of them were paid into the bank on December 5 to the credit of the defendant Crick's account. Mr. Webster stated that he had taken the numbers of the notes paid to Mr. Dent, and was thus able to identify those which came in three days later; but before the Lands Commission he had stated that the transaction was with reference to some £50 notes paid to a Mr. Taylor in June, 1901, and the cross-examination was directed to test whether he was not now making a mistake. His evidence will be continued on Monday.

Duration of the Crick-Willis Trial.—Yesterday afternoon, just before the Court adjourned on the trial of the Crick-Willis conspiracy case, a question arose as to whether the Court should sit to-day or not. Mr. Justice Simpson, the presiding Judge, said he was willing to sit on a Saturday, but allowed those interested in the case to express their opinions. The defendant Crick admitted that he would like the suspense to be ended, but as it was pretty certain that the trial would take more than another day he thought the balance of convenience would be met if the Court adjourned until Monday. The defendant Willis placed himself unreservedly in the hands of the Court, and the legal representatives of the Crown did the same. As for the jury, the members of it stated through their foreman that if the trial could conclude in one day they would willingly sit and finish, but as there was no hope of that happening they would prefer to have the day off. It was therefore agreed that the case should go over until Monday, and in the informal argument which preceded this decision it was mentioned that the case would probably finish on Wednesday next at the latest.

Shipping Activity.—The rapid growth of our shipping interests is again forcibly illustrated by our London shipping cable this morning, which announces among the departures for Sydney the new German mail steamer Kleist, of 9000 tons, on her maiden voyage; the steamer Plaven, just built for the German-Australian S.S. Company, bringing the strength of the fleet to 29; the Kasama, a new cargo steamer, which has left New York on her first voyage, and the steamer Evnerdale, purchased at home by Captain Holm for the New Zealand trade. Our message also mentions the departure from New York of the steamer Hawkes Bay, which is inaugurating the new service formed by the Tyser Company, the German-Australian S.S. Company, and the "Hansa" Company of Bremen.

New Line of Steamers.—Arrangements have been completed for the opening up of a new line of steamers for the conveyance of cargo between London, Melbourne, and Sydney. There will be four steamers, each of 7500 tons, and these are now being built to run at a minimum speed of 11 knots. They will be specially constructed for Australian trade, and will be ready to take up the service early next year. It is intended to despatch a steamer every six weeks. A large company that has been formed in London has the project in hand. It is not intended to in any way interfere with foreign trade, but to confine the operations of the company to British-Australian ports. Mr. Charles M.

Armstrong, of London, is at present on a visit to Sydney, and states that he has now completed all arrangements and will shortly return to London.

Sydney's Streets.—Sydney people are so accustomed to hear their streets compared unfavourably with those of Melbourne and Adelaide that it comes as a pleasant surprise to most of them to know that they were referred to in terms of praise by a visitor at the meeting of the Australasian Massage Association last night. Mr. J. Millikin, of Adelaide, in responding to a vote of thanks, which had been accorded the visiting representatives, after duly referring to "our beautiful harbour," went on to say that he had heard so much of our narrow streets and their crookedness that he had to confess himself astonished when he first saw them. In Adelaide, he said, they had wide thoroughfares, almost too wide, he thought, considering the comparatively small amount of traffic on them. He had also been impressed with the way in which the traffic here was handled, and the expeditious manner in which it was got over the crossings compared more than favourably with the methods he had been used to. From what he had seen of some cities in England and America, he thought the Sydney people were not so badly off after all, so far as their streets were concerned.

Y.M.C.A. Immigrants.—Office-bearers of the Young Men's Christian Association have hitherto spent much time in dealing with young men from the country, and in endeavouring to interest young city men in the claims of the country and its opportunities. Now it is proposed to make special provision for inducing the youths arriving on these shores to take positions on farms and stations. Splendid results have followed the emigration to Canada of trained youths from Dr. Barnardo's Homes, the reports being highly encouraging. The reason for the authorities refusing to send suitable farm hands to Australia has been the absence of any receiving agent who would take a practical interest in them on arrival here. The board of directors is now in communication with London in this matter with a view to making such provision, and it is expected that arrangements will shortly be completed whereby batches of about 10 per month will be despatched to New South Wales. On arrival they will be taken in hand by the Y.M.C.A. prior to going to the country to take up positions, and a general interest in their welfare will be manifested by the members of the institution.

The Commercial Travellers' Association will entertain the Railway Commissioners at a smoke concert at the association's rooms in Pitt-street to-night.

The twelfth annual ball of the Commercial Travellers' Association of New South Wales will be held on June 28, at the Paddington Town Hall.

The Highland Society will celebrate at the Town Hall on Friday, May 10, the two hundredth anniversary of the union of Scotland and England. The celebration will take the form of a gathering of members and their friends. Arrangements are being completed for a suitable musical programme.

A preliminary meeting in connection with the Australian Exhibition of Women's Work was held in the council chambers at Rookwood yesterday afternoon. Mrs. R. Sice occupying the chair. The movement was taken up with enthusiasm, and it was resolved to make very effort to bring the matter under the notice of the residents of the district. Mrs. A. J. Woodland was appointed secretary, and Mrs. T. Curran treasurer.

Mr. W. H. Kelly, M.P., has received a communication from the Acting Deputy Postmaster-General, intimating that his suggestion that direct mails be made up in the travelling post-offices for Bondi, so as to ensure the earlier delivery of correspondence in that suburb, has been approved of. The new arrangement will come into operation on May 1.

Mr. A. Pearson delivered a lecture at the School of Arts last evening, entitled "The Bible Doctrine of Universal Resurrection, and What It Involves." Mr. W. Collett presided, and there was a good attendance.

Intending candidates for the Middle Harbour electorate are requested by advertisement to communicate with the secretary of the Waringah Branch of the Liberal and Reform Association.

At a meeting of the Council of the Corporation of Accountants of Australia, held on Thursday, it was resolved to ask the councils of the Sydney Institute of Public Accountants, the Chamber of Commerce, the Chamber of Manufactures, and the New South Wales Committee of the Society of Accountants and Auditors (Eng.) to co-operate with the council of the corporation in taking such action as may be deemed necessary with regard to the proposed Federal legislation in connection with the Companies and Insolvency Acts. It is understood that the Federal Attorney-General is preparing draft bills, and as representatives from certain Victorian bodies will wait on him shortly, it is advisable that similar institutions in this State should, also, make their views known.

It is notified that commencing from Monday next, the 29th instant, improved service will be run on the Coogee tramline after 10 p.m., Mondays to Fridays.

The Institution of Surveyors, N.S.W., held a meeting at the rooms in Bridge-street, on Tuesday evening. Mr. R. H. Cambage, F.L.S., Chief Mining Surveyor, Mines Department, presided. Mr. G. H. Halligan, F.G.S., Government Hydrographer, read a paper entitled, "Notes for Hydrographic Surveyors." The president pointed out that this class of surveying would be of great use, not only to mariners, but also in connection with collieries working coal under the ocean, etc., to a great extent, the safety of many men being dependent upon the accuracy of the soundings taken by the surveyor.

The president and council of the Women's Branch of the People's Reform League of N.S.W., were "at home" on Thursday evening, at the Women's Patriotic Club, 4 O'Connell-street, to the members of the club and the council of the People's Reform League. The president of the Women's Branch, Miss Macarthur-Onslow, assisted by Mrs. J. R. Christian and Mrs. Jenkins, received the guests. Mrs. W. Butter had arranged a musical programme, which was contributed to by Mesdames Hourigan and Arnott, the Misses Delacourt and Jenkins, and Masters Jack Butter and Jack Jones. Miss Rose Seaton gave selections from "As You Like It." Miss Momberg was accompanist.

"Clerk" writes:—"For the benefit of the workers who reside out in our railway suburbs and have to start their work at Woolloomooloo, Miller's Point, or Darling Island at 6 a.m., an earlier train is required than is at present provided—a train to arrive in Sydney not later than 5.30 a.m. At present the earliest train from the western suburbs is timed to arrive at Sydney at 5.44 a.m. Now if this train gets in to time, 20 minutes is not sufficient time for a man to get to either Woolloomooloo, Miller's Point, or Darling Island wharfs by 6 o'clock a.m., at which time work is often started."

It is announced by advertisement in another column that at the Government typists' examination held in March last the second pass was allotted to a young lady coached at the City School Business Training Establishment.

"A Great-grandniece of Captain James Cook, R.N.," writes:—"I have seen statues, and there are others, I am told, to be yet seen, erected to the memory of a man who landed on these shores so many years ago next Sunday. The statues are minus the coat of arms granted by King George III., the design of which is now in your fine museum among other relics, and worded plainly that there shall be no interruption by any person or persons whatsoever regarding the same by Royal command under Royal seal. I desire to see this practically carried out, to beautify the beautiful that is to be handed down to our children and our children's children through all time, and to do justice more fully to the man who will be pointed to as the discoverer of this important territory."

The fifth annual ball of the Jewish Literary and Debating Society of Sydney is advertised to be held in the Paddington Town Hall on Thursday, June 20.

Mr. H. C. L. Anderson, M.A. (Director of the Intelligence Department), lectured to a large audience in the Centenary Hall last night on the immigration work in Great Britain now being carried on by the State. Notable among the scenes shown were those taken on Sydney Harbour on an occasion when the yachts were having a day out. The pastoral, dairying, and agricultural importance of the State, and the beauty spots of Tumut and Talbingo, and many of our railway lines, were admirably displayed on the screen.

St. Philip's Church of England, Eastwood, will be officially opened by the Archbishop of Sydney to-morrow morning. The new church is in the parish of Ryde, the rector of which is Rev. J. H. Mullens.

The annual meeting of the Sydney Rescue Work Society will be held at the Y.M.C.A. Hall on Tuesday next at 8 o'clock. Sir Henry Stephen will preside.

At the Redfern Congregational Church special services will be held to-morrow, when the Rev. Handel Jones, of Victoria, will preach at 11 a.m.; and Rev. Loyal L. Wirt, B.D., of Brisbane, at 7 p.m.

NEW SOUTH WALES EIGHT-OAR CREW.

ADELAIDE, Friday.

The New South Wales eight-oar crew was out twice, and showed improvement upon previous work. In the morning it had a row down the course and back, with Edwards holding the lines. In the afternoon the crew rowed two miles. Training is rapidly getting the men into condition.

TO-DAY.

University Commemoration: Town Hall, 11.30 a.m.
Town Hall: Black-Premyslav Concert, 8 p.m.
Rugby Football: Cricket Ground, University Oval, 3 p.m.
Rosehill Races: First Event, 2 p.m.
Anniversary Celebrations: Landing of Captain Cook, Kurnell, 3 p.m.; Hyde Park, 7.30 p.m.
Single Tax League Meeting: Newtown Bridge, 8 p.m.
Railway Excursions: Hawkesbury River, Sydney, 9.5 a.m., Milson's Point 8.50 a.m.; Parkesvale, Sydney 2.10 p.m.
Mosman Town Hall: "The Lily of Killarney," 8 p.m.
Sporting League Meeting: Albert Hotel, North Sydney, 8 p.m.
Her Majesty's Theatre: "Mother Goose," 1.45 p.m. and 7.45 p.m.
Theatre Royal: "Brigadier Gerard," 8 p.m.
Palace Theatre: "What Would a Gentleman Do," 8 p.m.
Tivoli Theatre: Vaudeville, 2.30 p.m. and 8 p.m.
Criterion Theatre: "The Village Blacksmith," 8 p.m.
Lyceum Theatre: West's Pictures and the Brescians, 2.30 p.m. and 8 p.m.
National Amphitheatre: Vandeville, 7.45 p.m.
Bohemian Dramatic Company: Hay-street, 8 p.m.
Oxford Theatre: World's Picturescope Company, 3 p.m. and 8 p.m.
Sydney Skating Rink: Prince Alfred Park, 10 a.m.
Bondi Park Skating Rink: 10 a.m.
Clay's Vaudeville: Standard Theatre, 8 p.m.
Wonderland City: Last night.
Zoological Gardens: 10 a.m.
The Thripelodeon: Oxford-street, 3 p.m.
World's Touring Cars: Pitt-street, 10.45 a.m.
New Masonic Hall: All Star Variety Company, 8 p.m.

PERSONAL.

VICE-REGAL.

Their Excellencies the Governor-General and Lady Northcote entertained the following guests at dinner at Government House last night:—Sir George Le Hunte (Governor of South Australia), Sir Frederick and Lady Darley and Miss K. Darley, Captain F. R. Barton, Sir Francis and Lady Suttor, Mr. Justice Cohen, Mr. C. E. Pilcher, M.L.C., Mr. and Mrs. Christopher Bennett, Professor and Mrs. MacCallum, Mrs. Burdekin, Mr. and Mrs. Russell French, Mrs. Toohey, Herr H. Jeblitschka (Consul-General for Austria-Hungary), Commander Fitzmaurice, R.N., Captain the Hon. R. Ryder, A.D.C.

Miss Rawson, attended by Captain Wilson, A.D.C., presided at a general meeting of the University Women's Society yesterday afternoon.

In the evening his Excellency and Miss Rawson gave a dinner party at Cranbrook. The following were present:—His Grace the Archbishop and the Misses Saumarez Smith, the Hon. J. H. Carruthers and Mrs. Carruthers, Miss Carruthers, the Lord Mayor and the Lady Mayoress, Sir James and Lady Fairfax, Miss Fairfax, Colonel and Mrs. Wallace, Miss E. Dickinson, Mr. C. R. Burnside, Mr. H. S. Darley, Mr. Angus Butler, Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Smith, Miss Wilson, Mr. Wyatt Rawson, Captain Leslie Wilson, A.D.C.

On Monday and Thursday next his Excellency the Governor and Miss Rawson will give dinner parties at Cranbrook.

On Thursday Miss Rawson will preside at a meeting at the Town Hall, North Sydney, of the Mayoresses and committees formed on the North Shore in connection with the Australian Exhibition of Women's Work.

The Postmaster-General (Mr. A. Chapman) will leave Melbourne for Adelaide on Tuesday.

The members of the Western Lands Board left Broken Hill yesterday on their return to Sydney.

Alderman G. M. Macarthur Onslow was tendered a complimentary banquet by the Mayor and aldermen of Camden in recognition of his services as Mayor and alderman. Alderman G. Furner, the Mayor presided. The speakers eulogised the services rendered by the guest to the district.

Diver Hughes, who rescued the miner Varischetti, was entertained by members of the Federal Parliament at Melbourne yesterday. Among those present were the Acting Prime Minister (Sir John Forrest), the Attorney-General (Mr. Groom), and the Postmaster-General (Mr. Chapman). Sir John Forrest proposed the health of the guest, and expressed the admiration of all Australians for his brave conduct. He personally would see that nothing was left undone to ensure that the gallant deed of Mr. Hughes was brought under the notice of those who were concerned in the bestowal of honours. Mr. Hughes in a brief reply said that if the occasion arose he had no doubt that any number of men would be found ready and willing to do the work he had done. Mr. Hughes will leave Melbourne to-day for Brisbane.

At the annual general meeting of the Sydney University Engineering Society, Mr. R. J. Boyd, B.E., was elected president for the ensuing year. Mr. Boyd, who is a member of the Railway Commissioners' staff, was in January of this year elected an associate member of the Institution of Civil Engineers, London, and at the recent Sydney University examinations qualified for the degree of Master of Engineering (M.E.) in civil engineering.

At a special meeting of the Executive Council yesterday, Mr. District Court Judge Rogers was appointed an Acting Supreme Court Judge for a fortnight, to take the place of Mr. Justice Pring, who is ill.

Miss Linda Sheen, violiniste, and Mr. Harold Sheen, flautist, with their mother, sailed yesterday by the Moravian for London. Mr. Harold Sheen has an engagement awaiting him, and Miss Linda Sheen intends to further prosecute her studies.

Mr. E. H. Gardner, solicitor, and Mrs. Gardner were entertained last week at dinner at Paris House by a number of their friends prior to their departure for London and the Continent. Dr. Gwynne-Hughes occupied the chair, and in proposing the toast of "Our Guests" referred to the esteem and regard in which they were held, and wished them a pleasant voyage. During the evening Mr. and Mrs. Gardner were presented with several gifts.

Mr. W. Farmer Whyte, a member of the literary staff of the "Daily Telegraph," was presented with a purse of sovereigns yesterday, prior to his departure for Auckland to take up the sub-editorship of the "New Zealand Herald."

Mr. J. J. Cohen, M.L.A., has been appointed a trustee of Captain Cook's landing place, Kurnell, in place of the late Sir John See.

The unrivalled talent of Signor Roberto Hazon as a choral and orchestral conductor who knows how to fuse conflicting elements into one homogeneous whole has been so generally recognised in this city these twenty years past that the rumour of his approaching return to Italy caused something like consternation amongst lovers of the consoling art. Indeed, the eminent musician in question is the acknowledged head of his profession, and Sydney can ill afford to lose him. On Thursday afternoon the committees of the Sydney Philharmonic Society and the Sydney Amateur Orchestral Society received his letter of resignation, which in each case was accepted with expressions of profound regret. Signor Hazon's retirement is unhappily due to "unsatisfactory health and failing strength." His partiality for the orchestral society, whose creation may be said to represent the fruit of his genius, is easily understood. In his letter to Mr. James H. Merriman, the honorary secretary of that body and an intimate friend of the writer, Signor Hazon remarks, "What this painful decision means to me, I can hardly express by words. I have come to regard this society as 'my fairest child.' I watched over its cradle, and I have seen the infant develop into one of the most successful bodies in Australia." Signor Hazon continues with an appeal to the members to be allowed to complete the series of this year's concerts before his departure in September.

Last night Mr. R. J. Guthrie, who for the last four years has occupied the position of agricultural and dairying expert writer for the "Sydney Mail," was entertained by his associates of the "Sydney Mail" and Messrs. H. M. Somer and H. Gullett at the Trocadero Cafe on the eve of his departure for a British and Continental tour. Mr. Guthrie, who won a high reputation throughout the Commonwealth and New Zealand as a judge of dairy cattle and general authority on agricultural matters, is leaving Sydney next Wednesday for a 12 months' tour, during which he will visit many countries on a knowledge quest before returning to take up his journalistic work in Sydney again. Mr. W. R. Charlton (editor of the "Sydney Mail") presided over the gathering, which represented all the branches of the journal, and expressed the general appreciation in which Mr. Guthrie was held by his journalistic and other friends. Mr. Guthrie, in response, said he was sorry to part with his friends in one sense, but he was going abroad to gain knowledge, and intended to visit many countries. He cordially returned thanks for all the pleasant things that had been said of him.

SETTLEMENT IN VICTORIA.

MELBOURNE, Friday.

Speaking at Prahran last night, Mr. D. Mackinnon one of the Honorary Ministers of the Victorian Government, said the question of land settlement was the most troublesome one before the State at present. He had not been in office long, but he was more than ever convinced that land settlement could not be successfully continued in the present conditions. Something more would have to be done if Victoria was to be a country supporting the large class of agriculturists which it should support. Victoria, however, must not be misled by the exodus of farmers. Victoria was a most thickly populated State, and speculators here were booming land in New South Wales and Queensland.

Our Water Supply.—"The Sydney Mail" of this week has some interesting pictures of the Cataract Reservoir Area.—Advt.

COLONIAL CONFERENCE.

NAVAL POLICY.

SMALL FLOTILLAS ADMIRABLE.

BIGGER SHIPS PROMISED.

EMIGRATION AND NATURALISATION.

LONDON, April 26.

At the Colonial Conference on Tuesday Lord Tweedmouth, First Lord of the Admiralty, in unfolding naval policy so far as it affects the colonies, asked the colonies to trust the Admiralty to secure the naval defence of the Empire in the future as in the past. The Admiralty would welcome the colonies taking some leading part. The Admiralty claimed to have charge of strategical questions, the command of the naval forces, and the distribution of ships so as best to resist attacks and defend the Empire.

COLONIES' CONTRIBUTIONS.

The Admiralty, he said, wished the colonies to give all the assistance they could, but, Lord Tweedmouth continued, "we do not come to you as beggars. The total subsidies from the colonies amount to £326,000. The Government is ready to meet contributors in a liberal and conciliatory manner. It does not wish to insist that the contributions shall be necessarily in money. We recognise the great difference between the conditions of the colonies, and we are quite ready to enter into any arrangements which the colonies deem advantageous to themselves and the navy."

Lord Tweedmouth said that the Government recognised the natural desire of the autonomous colonies to have a more particular share in providing for the naval defence of the Empire. If unity of command and direction of the fleet were maintained, the Government was ready to consider a modification of existing agreements.

If the colonies would provide for local service in the Imperial squadron smaller vessels, which would be useful against possible raiders, or which would co-operate with the squadrons, and if the colonies would equip and maintain docks and fitting establishments it would be a great assistance. Provision of coaling facilities and naval stores would also be useful. It would be an enormous advantage to find well-trained men in the colonies. Small flotillas would be an admirable means of coast defence.

CONCENTRATION OF SHIPS.

Sir Joseph Ward said he regarded the Admiralty as the custodians of the navy. He indicated that he would cordially co-operate with Mr. Deakin in helping the Commonwealth to attain its desires in naval defence.

The heavy expenditure of New Zealand in works of development rendered it impossible for her to undertake heavy financial responsibilities in local defence. While New Zealand was prepared to contribute more than £40,000, she was willing to expend a part in manning ships. He admitted that in war time the whole of the strategical work and the disposition of ships ought to be under the Admiralty.

Apropos of manning, Sir Joseph Ward dwelt on the advisability of some system of deferred pay for colonial seamen, in order to meet the difficulties of the present dual system operating on some warships.

Lord Tweedmouth remarked that it was impossible to admit an unlimited number of men to the naval service. He hinted that in future there would be a greater concentration of ships in the Australian waters, and if they were not so frequently seen at the various points on the station they would be bigger vessels.

ENCOURAGING EMIGRATION.

DISCONCERTED OFFICIALS.

The Conference sat again yesterday. Mr. Deakin proposed—

> "That it is desirable to encourage British emigrants to proceed to the British colonies rather than foreign countries.
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> "That the Imperial Department be requested to co-operate with any colonies desiring immigrants in assisting suitable persons to emigrate."

Mr. Deakin stated that the Agents-General for the States considered the Emigrants' Information Bureau of little good. His sharp criticisms of the conduct of that branch of the Colonial Office disconcerted officials. He particularly criticised their attitude as regards recruiting labour here for the Queensland sugar estates.

An official attempted to explain the omissions from the reports of the bureau, on the ground that it was not desirable to say much respecting the kanaka and the white Australia questions.

Mr. Deakin retorted that Australia was not ashamed of her treatment of kanakas or of her white Australia policy. The bureau was perfectly at liberty to speak with absolute openness on both questions. He dwelt on the urgent need for increased emigration to Australia, and indicated the sort of emigrants likely to succeed.

Sir Joseph Ward said that New Zealand needed carefully selected emigrants, preferably those possessing some capital. Any scheme on the lines outlined by the inter-departmental committee would require most careful consideration.

Mr. John Burns, President of the Local Government Board, insisted that the Emigrants' Bureau had done valuable work, but the Government was considering the advisability of re-organisation. He stated that the proportion of emigrants proceeding to British colonies as compared with foreign countries was steadily increasing. He did not approve of colonisation by bodies of persons. He thought that there was an opportunity for the colonies now to obtain useful artisan colonists, especially builders.

Mr. Burns emphasised the extreme value of child emigration, on the lines of the scheme organised by the Barnardo Homes.

Mr. Deakin's resolution was carried unanimously.

Mr. Deakin, in speaking of the attitude of the Emigrants' Information Bureau towards emigration to Queensland, had in his mind the warnings issued by the bureau to intending emigrants to remember the climatic conditions of the sugar farms of North Queensland, and stating that it was very questionable if British emigrants would be able to work under tropical conditions.

UNIFORM NATURALISATION.

AN IMPERIAL BILL.

The subject of naturalisation was then raised, and in this connection two resolutions, one from New Zealand and the other from Cape Colony, were considered.

Sir Joseph Ward (New Zealand) moved—

> "The law as to naturalisation should be uniform throughout the Empire, and naturalisation wherever granted should be imperial, and not local—subject, however, to the right of a self-governing dependency to impose special conditions if it thinks fit."

Dr. Jameson (Cape Colony) moved—

> "This Conference is of opinion that in order to remove anomalies attaching to the naturalisation of aliens throughout the Empire, his Majesty's Government should, after full consultation with the colonies, take steps to secure Imperial legislation providing for the treatment of the question on a uniform basis."

Mr. H. Gladstone, Secretary of State for Home Affairs, explained the draft Imperial Naturalisation Bill, which was apparently considered satisfactory. Mr. Gladstone suggested that the principles of naturalisation be affirmed, and that details be left to a subsidiary conference. This was considered undesirable, the Colonial Conference preferring to examine the subject.

Further discussion on the matter was adjourned.

AUSTRALIAN COASTAL FLEET.

LONDON, April 25.

Prospects of the Admiralty accepting the wishes of Australia in regard to a coastal fleet are encouraging, leaving the Commonwealth to decide whether in war time she will voluntarily place the proposed torpedo flotilla under the control of the Admiralty, though she may stipulate that it shall not be allowed to leave the coast.

TRANSVAAL DEFENCE.

GENERAL BOTHA'S SCHEME.

LONDON, April 25.

General Botha in the course of an interview described the statement of the military correspondent of the "Standard" as ridiculous.

"Our aim," said General Botha, "is to establish an army for the defence of the whole of South Africa wherein Dutch and British will serve side by side. It is no longer a question of Dutch or English. We are one people with one ambition, one aim, and ought to be called South Africans."

The story of the "Standard" was that General Botha was submitting to the conference for the British Government's approval a scheme for the establishment of a voluntary force for the defence of the Transvaal by the organisation of the burghers into battalions on the principle of volunteers in British counties with light field pieces for the use of mounted forces.

THE CANADIAN TARIFF.

FOREIGN NEGOTIATIONS.

LONDON, April 25.

The "Montreal Star" states that Sir Wilfrid Laurier has initiated indirect pourparlers with foreign Governments, including Italy and Austria, respecting the acceptance of Canada's modified tariff.

If nothing is done in respect thereto at the Colonial Conference, the newspaper adds that Sir Wilfrid Laurier will be free to proceed with his negotiations and admit continental countries to the benefits under the intermediate tariff.

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Sir Edward Grey, Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, in the House of Commons last night, in reply to Mr. H. Pike Pease (Liberal Unionist), said that the granting of the intermediate tariff to foreign countries would not prevent Canada altering in the future the preference she has granted to Great Britain.

The intermediate tariff of Canada is to be used as a means of securing friendlier trade arrangements with countries willing to trade with Canada. The rates of the intermediate tariff are lower than those of the general tariff, ranging from about 10 per cent., but they are higher than those of the British preference.

POLITICAL FUNDS.

CORPORATIONS PREVENTED CONTRIBUTING.

LONDON, April 26.

Mr. Lloyd George, President of the Board of Trade, in the House of Commons last night announced that he would shortly introduce a bill prohibiting railway and other statutory corporations contributing out of their funds to political contests.

THE BRITISH BUDGET.

ASSAILED BY SOCIALISTS.

LONDON, April 25.

The discussion on Mr. H. H. Asquith's Budget speech was resumed in the House of Commons last night. Socialist members, led by Mr. P. Snowden, bitterly assailed the Government for doing little for old-age pensions, and for remitting taxes benefiting the middle classes.

Several Radical and Liberal members resented the exaggerations of the Socialist members.

WOOLWICH DISMISSALS.

SNAPPED UP BY GERMANY.

LONDON, April 26.

Ballots at Woolwich Arsenal on the proposal to work five days a week, and thus prevent half the dismissals, of which notice has been given, favour the proposal by a very large majority.

A number of skilled men from Woolwich arsenal have been engaged at high wages for the German arsenal at Ems.

GERMAN PRINCE INJURED.

THROWN FROM A HORSE.

LONDON, April 25.

Prince Eitel, second son of the German Emperor, fell heavily from his horse while on parade at Berlin, and sustained concussion of the brain.

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The injury to Prince Eitel is not dangerous.

TARIFF REFORM.

A GREAT DEMONSTRATION.

THE PREMIERS' TEXT.

LONDON, April 26.

An enthusiastic demonstration, organised by the Tariff Reform League, was held in the Albert Hall yesterday, and was presided over by Viscount Ridley.

Mr. J. Chamberlain wrote to the meeting:—"All the oversea sister nations declare for closer commercial relations, and offer us preferential trade. Let it not be said that we are backward when they point the way. Great Britain must not stand aloof from the world-wide movement of our race."

Mr. Austen Chamberlain, who was the principal speaker, declared that when the Colonial Conference was over tariff reformers would make the utterances of the colonial Premiers the starting point of a new campaign.

AUSTRALIAN MAIL SERVICES.

MR. DEAKIN WAITS.

LONDON, April 25.

Mr. Deakin is awaiting overtures respecting the Vancouver mail service and the new contract of Sir James Laing and Sons, Limited, for the carriage of the Australian mails.

OMISSION OF BRISBANE.

MELBOURNE, Friday.

Senators Chataway and St. Ledger, of Queensland, interviewed the Postmaster-General, Mr. Chapman, to-day as to the new Vancouver mail contract, and the probabilities of Brisbane being omitted as a port of call. Mr. Chapman said he could not go into details of the question, but he assured them that the claims of their State would have the fullest consideration. Mr. Chapman is confident that a better and quicker service will be secured. The Union Company had made an offer to put on better steamers almost at once. There was, however, so many parties involved in the matter that it was not easy to get it settled quickly. Canada, for instance, contributed more than Australia. Fiji also came into it, and in addition, principals were now in London conferring.

RUSSIA.

REACTIONARY APPOINTMENT.

LONDON, April 25.

M. Akimoff, a reactionary, has been appointed president of the Council of the Russian Empire.

MURDER AT ODESSA.

A band of four revolutionaries killed the governor of the political prison at Odessa in revenge for his illtreatment of rebels. One of the assailants was captured, another committed suicide, and the others escaped.

THE FOREIGN OFFICE.

LONDON, April 26.

Mr. Louis du Pan Mallet, private secretary to Sir Edward Grey, Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, has been appointed Assistant Under-Secretary at the Foreign Office, in succession to Sir Eldon Gorst, now Consul-General in Egypt.

SPANISH NAVAL PROGRAMME.

LONDON, April 25.

The "Correspondencia Espana," published at Madrid, states that the naval orders which have been placed in Great Britain are the result of a new entente cordiale between Great Britain and Spain.

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The statement by the "Correspondencia Espana" that Great Britain and Spain have concluded a naval alliance is officially contradicted.

The "Westminster Gazette" authoritatively denies the report that Great Britain is assisting Spain financially to augment her fleet and reorganise her ports and arsenals.

ANTWERP WOOL SALES.

LONDON, April 26.

The Antwerp wool sales closed yesterday. Prices were unchanged. Crossbreds were neglected. 6579 bales were offered and 1835 were sold.

GENERAL CABLE NEWS.

TRAGEDY IN A TRAIN.

LONDON, April 26.

Pedlar Palmer, a pugilist, has been arrested for striking and killing an unknown fellow-passenger in a racecourse train at Croydon because the passenger refused to stop singing.

EXPORT OF POULTRY.

The South Australian ducklings exported by the steamer Commonwealth averaged 11½ per lb. Small chickens realised 1s.

MR. BENT IN LONDON.

Mr. T. Bent, Premier of Victoria, arrived in London yesterday. He was met at Paddington railway station by Mr. J. W. Taverner, the Agent General.

NORTHERN TERRITORY TOUR.

MELBOURNE, Friday.

Judge Herbert, Government Resident of the Northern Territory, has prepared a programme for the visiting legislators which makes a Parliamentary candidate's campaign itinerary look easy. Judge Herbert's fixtures, which, of course, are dependent upon the energy of the Parliamentarians, are:—First party to arrive at Port Darwin on May 14. On May 15 visit West Arm tinfields; 16th, train to Brock's Creek, Mount Wells, and Pine Creek; 17th, drive to Horseshoe Creek; 18th, drive to Catherine River, and remain there till 20th. Then the party will divide, one section riding down the Catherine and Daly Rivers, and via Douglas River to Brock's Creek—an eight-day trip; thence, on 29th, train to Palmerston. The other section will return in buggies from Catherine River to Horseshoe; thence, via Mount Todd, Wolfram Camp, and Wandi, to Pine Creek; rail to Palmerston, on 25th, or by water to Daly River, returning on 29th to Palmerston, reuniting with first section on the 31st. They will proceed by Adelaide River, returning to Port Darwin on June 2, with harbour inspections till the 6th. The second party will arrive by the Airlie on June 14 and Empire on June 17, and will be divided into two divisions. The first division will take train for 22 miles on the 15th, and then go on horseback across the Adelaide River to Mary River, and up the latter, joining the railway line on the 25th at Burrundie, for Pine Creek, returning to Port Darwin on the 26th; from 27th to June 30, by water, Victoria River; July 1 to 3, by water, Daly River; July 4, to Port Darwin, where, after a round of engagements, they will leave for Sydney on the 8th. The other contingent will arrive by the Airlie, and from June 15 to 18 will visit Daly River and be joined by the Empire's passengers; on the 20th visit Adelaide River, returning to Port Darwin on the 24th, and on the 25th will run through the jungle by train, and inspect the Finniss River and the west branch of the Adelaide River; on horseback till 28th; thence to Pine Creek on 29th; on 30th to Douglas, in saddle, till 4th, returning to Port Darwin on the 8th.

If two or three members are able to do some more exploring, they can start about the beginning of July with Judge Herbert for Powell's Creek, and proceed across the eastern tablelands to Borroloola, on the M'Arthur River, by boat to Roper River, and Thursday Island, which will occupy seven or eight weeks.

COAL-LUMPERS' STRIKE.

POLICE PROTECTION.

Yesterday the position in connection with the coal-lumpers' strike showed no alteration, and consequently a comparatively quiet day was passed. Union members are still emphatic in their assertions that the present situation is a "lock-out," while the employers are equally insistent in regarding it as a strike. The holiday aspect of the trouble seems to be losing its charm to some of the strikers, who appear to hold the view that matters are trending slightly contrary to anticipations. The success of the Sydney Steam Collier Owners' and Stevedores' Association's employment bureau has no doubt helped to create that view.

The efforts of the vigilance committees in patrolling Macquarie-place have not been relaxed. Unfortunately cases of non-union men being molested by strikers are still being reported. Yesterday some trouble happened in Argyle-street. At places at which disturbances are likely to occur, such as the vicinity of vessels coaling, police are in attendance, and escorts are being provided for the coaling squads on their way to their work. Those members of the union who appear to be most prominent in making trouble are the younger men, who have the least to lose.

There is very little bunkering being done in the port at the present time. The P. and O. steamer India is still taking in coal, while similar operations are being carried on on the Pacifique, free labour, with the assistance of the crew, being fully equal to requirements. Shipowners, however, are not taking risks, and several vessels are, therefore, coaling at Brisbane, or at any other port which may suit their convenience. The Tambo and Guthrie will possibly fill their bunkers outside the port. Yesterday morning the Banffshire arrived from Newcastle and made fast to Birt and Co.'s wharf, where coal was being poured into her by non-union labour. The colliers Currajong and Malachite are busy attending steamers, and on Thursday they discharged 1250 tons.

POSITION AT NEWCASTLE.

NEWCASTLE, Friday.

The work of trimming coal-laden vessels at the Dyke was proceeded with without interruption to-day. Indeed, except for the refusal of the coal trimmers to load the steamer Banffshire yesterday, nothing has yet transpired to hinder the trade of the port. The Guthrie is due on Monday, and after coaling will proceed to Singapore. She has regularly coaled here, but does not happen to have taken in coal in Newcastle during the current year. The union has been asked by letter whether or not they are prepared to trim this vessel.

A meeting of the Wharf-labourers' Union was held at the Trades Hall to-night. Messrs. Roach and Neilson delegates from the Sydney Coal-lumpers' Union, made an appeal for co-operation with the coal trimmers in refusing work on any vessels which usually coaled in Sydney. It was tacitly agreed to act in conjunction with the coal trimmers in avoiding an engagement under such conditions, but no resolution embodying this decision was passed. The reason for this procedure is believed to be in consequence of a certain award binding the union.

LITHGOW COAL TRADE.

LITHGOW, Friday.

Anxiety is manifested in local mining circles as to whether the coal-lumpers' strike will have any effect on the shipping trade supplied by the Lithgow mines. It is stated that on Tuesday hardly any hoppers came forward, and on Wednesday a similar condition was experienced. In the opinion of a prominent miner, the question resolves itself into whether the Lithgow Coal Association was a party in dispute with the coal-lumpers. If proved to be so, he thinks a difficulty will be experienced in unloading their hoppers in Sydney. He was, however, inclined to the opinion that the association was not concerned in the strike. If the shipping trade were lost to this place it would mean that the miners would get only about three days a week.

SOUTHERN COLLIERIES AFFECTED.

WOLLONGONG, Friday.

The local coal trade was considerably interfered with on account of the coal-lumpers' strike this week, and shipping was the slackest for some months. The shipments at Port Kembla were:—Beagle, 180 tons; Timaru, 200, for Sydney; Glaucus, 1780, for Melbourne; Norkoowa, 2100, for Melbourne; Kooringa, 4900, for Fremantle; Time, 900, for Port Pirie. The Alabama is loading 2000 tons of bunker coal. Mount Keira has been losing time, and for next pay will have about 8½ days. Mount Pleasant will have about the same. Kembla also lost a day this week.

Two delegates from the Coal-lumpers' Union visited Woonona yesterday, and called on Mr. Morgan, miners' general secretary. They will attend lodge meetings throughout the district. It is probable that, given favourable weather conditions, vessels which would otherwise do their coaling in Sydney may come to Port Kembla; but the open character of the port will prevent this being done to any considerable extent.

THE COMMONWEALTH.

FEDERAL SESSION.

MELBOURNE, Friday.

There is little doubt, according to Sir John Forrest, that the next session of the Federal Parliament will meet during the first week of July. The latest advices are that Mr. Deakin will probably catch the steamer Orontes, and arrive about June 26. Mr. Chapman, Acting Minister of Customs, states that the Government is ready for the remainder of the tariff reports, but it is difficult to deal with the questions now being considered without the fullest information.

TELEPHONE SERVICE.

Speaking in regard to the telephone service to-day, the Postmaster-General said that owing to the great increase in telephone business there was no doubt that the time was not far distant when the Government would have to consider the question of reducing the charges. The average toll subscriber did not avail himself of nearly the number of calls he was allowed without extra charge. In Sydney the average was four calls a day, while the allowance was six. The problem was whether they should not do something better for the small man, who would only use the telephone two or three times daily, and where that man might be met would be to have smaller fixed payments.

A FEDERAL MAGISTRATE.

It is provided in the Commonwealth Judiciary Act that jurisdiction in regard to offences against the Commonwealth may be exercised by police or stipendiary magistrates, special magistrates, or magistrates authorised by the Federal Executive Council. The first appointment under the Federal law has now been approved by the Executive, namely, that of Mr. Patrick Gaffney, J.P., of Queensland, in order that preliminaries may be dealt with in the case of a man in a remote part of Queensland who is charged with an offence against the Commonwealth law.

LIGHT HORSE ENCAMPMENT.

WEST MAITLAND, Friday.

The Light Horse camp was struck shortly after midday. Before the troops marched out the following brigade order was issued:—"The Brigadier desires to express his appreciation of the highly satisfactory manner in which the brigade has now completed its course of camp training. The close attention of all ranks to instructional work and the loyal co-operation of the officers in the willing performance of camp duties and subjection to military discipline have enabled the Brigadier to report most satisfactorily, and to state that the efficiency is excellent, and the voluntary service of the First A.L.H. Regiment (New South Wales Lancers) is specially mentioned. For this result the Brigadier desires to thank the staff officers, warrant and non commissioned officers, and men alike; and wishes them a safe return to their homes."

At the Rutherford racecourse yesterday a competition was held to select a team to represent the 6th Regiment at the Commonwealth contest for the Prince of Wales' Cup and Hutton Shield. Eleven teams competed. The Tenterfield Half-squadron, under Captain Reid, 32 points, won. Brigadier-General Gordon presented the long-service medals last evening to Major Markwell, Officer Commanding 4th Regiment, and Captain M'Morland, Army Service Corps. Four troopers' horses died during the encampment. Two deaths were due to accident, and two to sickness.

BRITISH INTERESTS SACRIFICED.

IN THE NEW HEBRIDES.

STARTLING STATEMENT BY A TRADER.

FRENCH ASCENDENCY.

DEALING OPENLY IN CONTRABAND.

FAIRPLAY DEMANDED.

Captain Frank Whitford, one of the oldest traders in the New Hebrides Group, who first settled in the island of Malekula 23 years ago, arrived on a visit to Sydney yesterday by Messrs. Burns, Philp, and Co.'s steamer Tambo, and by reason of his long experience is able to speak with authority on New Hebrides matters. When seen by a representative of this journal he expressed his indignation at the treatment now being meted out to the British settlers at the hands of the Australian and British authorities.

"All that the Australian Government has ever done," he said, "is to use the naval power against us in fining us—in fact, we are compelled to submit to a state of absolute persecution. The naval officers patrolling the group are the only British representatives that the residents come in touch with, until such time as the new commission is appointed, and they only interfere with British residents by persecuting and oppressing them by forcing regulations and imposing fines for breaches committed. At the same time the non-British residents are allowed with impunity to openly do the very things that the British are punished for. The fact that there are still British settlers left in the New Hebrides group is not because of the protection of the British, but in spite of its absence.

THE TACTICS OF THE FRENCH.

"For the last 15 years the French authorities have done everything they can to foster and assist and promote French interests in the group. Once or twice the French authorities have nominally agreed with the British authorities to frame regulations which would apply equally to all nationalities, but in every instance, as far as the French are concerned, they have simply been a farce, openly ignored by every Frenchman in the group. The French settlers laugh in their sleeves when they see the British authorities enforcing the regulations on the unfortunate English residents, who are thus handicapped in their business and belittled in the eyes of their native employees.

"In every way it is a disadvantage for a man to own himself a British subject. From the commencement it has been a state of either muddle or misdirected energy.

SIGNING THEIR OWN DEATH WARRANTS.

"The views of the missionary owing to his training and environment," Captain Whitford explained, "are necessarily restricted, and he becomes the longer he stays in the islands more encrusted with bigotry and narrow-mindedness, the result of which in the long run will be his own undoing. The missionaries rigidly insist upon the strict observance of the comparatively oppressive regulations concerning British subjects, and if they hear of the slightest breach of the regulations they at once inform the authorities, and unremittingly work for the punishment of the offender.

"Once the French secure the New Hebrides Group, no matter what assurance may be given to the contrary, out will go every British missionary, just as effectively as they were thrown out of the Loyalties when the French got control there."

Asked what he thought of the new Convention, Captain Whitford said that he had very little faith in it, because it would probably be the same old heartbreaking story over again of regulations enforced by the British and laughed at by the French.

THE TAX ON BRITISH PRODUCE.

"All British settlers regard the action of the Commonwealth Government in inducing Australians to settle in the New Hebrides ostensibly in the interests of British trade and then to take their very bread from them by prohibitive duties on maize as one of the most wicked and treacherous acts that have ever disgraced a civilised Government.

"These may be strong words," he explained, "but the position has probably arisen because the unfortunate settlers are buried in the islands unable to speak for themselves, and when the opportunity does occur for speaking direct to the Australian people I regard it as a duty to speak plainly and fearlessly."

WHOLESALE TRADE IN CONTRABAND.

Captain Whitford says that the British settlers are indignant at the new regulations, which appear to have been so hastily drafted that the British residents are unable to obtain their legitimate requirements in the way of firearms, ammunition, liquor, etc., while the French vessels are trading freely throughout the islands in the various contraband articles to their own profit and to the utter confusion of their British competitors.

"One Frenchman at Port Vila boasted to me as I came through on my way to Sydney," Captain Whitford remarked, "that during the brief period he had been in the New Hebrides Group he had cleared the sum of £1000 in trading in gin. At Vila, too, I saw a French steamer lying in the harbour with her holds full of copra, in addition to large quantities carried as deck cargo. She was waiting there to tranship the copra into the steamer Pacifique for Noumea. The whole of this cargo was secured in less than a fortnight, while British vessels are coming away from the New Hebrides a quarter full. It must also be borne in mind that in most cases the French paid slightly less for the copra than the rates offered by the British vessels.

"It is very difficult to prove what is actually taking place, but the only feasible explanation of this state of affairs is that the French are trading in contraband. It is difficult to secure direct evidence, but it is notorious in the group that such a trade is being secretly carried on.

"Many of the British traders prevented from obtaining contraband, which their French competitors alongside are easily able to secure, have been driven to the extreme of transferring their custom to the French steamers, for otherwise they would find themselves hopelessly handicapped in trading with the natives.

"I am not advocating," Captain Whitford said in conclusion, "that the British should have unrestricted license, but I am asking that fair play shall be insisted upon universally and promptly, and that the present position shall be put an end to as quickly as possible by the stringent enforcement of the regulations against the French as well as against the British."

QUEENSLAND ELECTIONS.

NOMINATION DAY.

BRISBANE, Friday.

To-day was nomination day for the State elections. In all 180 candidates were nominated for 12 seats. Sixty-four are classed as Opposition supporters, 56 as Ministerial, and 47 as straight-out Labour candidates, 3 as unendorsed Kidstonites, 4 independents, and 7 unclassified. There were some surprises in the list. One was the nomination of Mr. J. G. Drake for North Brisbane, the name of the ex-senator not having been mentioned previously. The following were returned unopposed:—Mr. J. Leahy, Bulloo; Mr. J. D. Campbell, Moreton; Mr. J. Stodart, Logan; Mr. W. Hamilton, Gregory.

CHINESE FAMINE FUND.

The Lord Mayor (Alderman Thos. Hughes) acknowledges the receipt of the following subscriptions to the Chinese Famine Fund:—

	£	s	d
Messrs. Wing Sang and Co.	20	0	0
M.H.S.	3	0	0
	£23	0	0

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—I am enclosing a circular which is being distributed asking for subscriptions for the Chinese Famine Fund. This fund has been started by the Lin Yik Tong (Chinese Merchants' Society) in Sydney.

The Hon. A. W. Meeks, M.L.C. (Messrs. Gibbs, Bright, and Co.), Pitt-street, has consented to act as treasurer, and any subscriptions forwarded to him will be duly acknowledged. Subscriptions may also be forwarded to Mr. Lee Chun (Messrs. Kwong War Chong, of Campbell-street, city), who is acting as hon. secretary, or to myself. I am, etc.,

SUN JOHNSON,
Chairman of Committee.
April 26.

Sydney, 26th April, 1907.

The Lin Yik Tong, the Chinese Merchants' Society, have opened a subscription list for the relief of the famine which is now playing such dreadful havoc with the residents of some of the provinces in China. We understand from communications received that some 30,000 to 40,000 are perishing weekly, and as citizens of this State we humbly ask your kind help to this fund, so that we may be able to alleviate in some small way the awful ravages now existing.

The Hon. A. W. Meeks, M.L.C., of Messrs. Gibbs, Bright, and Co., Pitt-street, Sydney, has kindly consented to act as treasurer for this fund, and any moneys collected by the authorised collector will be duly acknowledged.

The following officers have also been appointed:—Chairman, Mr. Sun Johnson, Royal-chambers, Hunter-street; hon. secretary, Mr. Lee Chun, Campbell-street, city; to whom subscriptions may be sent.

The subscription list is headed by a cheque from his Excellency Sir Harry Rawson, Governor of the State, for £5, and £50 by the Lin Yik Tong (Chinese Merchants' Society). We would again kindly appeal to you for some little help in the matter.

If you want to BORROW MONEY go to N.S.W. Mont de Piete Co., Ltd. Capital, £100,000, 74 Castlereagh-street, 74. Eustace Bennett, general manager.—Advt.

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(BY E. W. [illegible])

To-day we celebrate the [illegible] tain Cook and his fellow-[illegible] board the barque Endeavour [illegible] any Bay. It was more [illegible] British in Australia—a far more important event than the landing of the Pilgrim Fathers on Plymouth Rock, or the entry of Raleigh's colonists into the forests of Virginia. It is a day that ought to be celebrated in a becoming manner. With regard to it, the Hon. J. H. Carruthers, Premier of New South Wales, is right in sentiment. It is the 28th of April, not the 26th of January, that ought to be the Anniversary Day of the State, for that was the day, in 1770, when Captain Cook, the great circumnavigator, first entered Botany Bay; and therefore it was the start of British possession, and the initial step in the establishment of civilisation in the Antipodean world. That is a far more important anniversary than the proclamation of our settlement by Captain Phillip on the banks of Sydney Cove (now Circular Quay) in 1788.

It is interesting to note the progress of Captain Cook as he sailed across what we now call the Tasman Sea. He left Cape Farewell, New Zealand (near where Nelson is now), on Saturday, March 31, and at 6 o'clock in the morning of April 19, 1770, he saw land extending from NE to W at the distance of five or six leagues, having 80 fathoms of water, with a fine sandy bottom. He sailed westward till 8 a.m., and then bore along the shore NE for the easternmost land in sight, being at this time in latitude 37.58 deg. S. Cook gave the land the name of Point Hicks, because a lieutenant of that name had first discovered it. Then he sailed along the coast, calling another point the Ram's Head, another Cape Howe, and a fourth Mount Dromedary. That was the first discovery of Eastern Australia, of New South Wales, by an Englishman. Cook sailed along the coast, discovering Cape St. George on the 25th. Later on he tried to land higher up the coast, with Sir Joseph Banks, Dr. Solander, Tupia, a South Sea Islander, who acted as interpreter, and four rowers of a boat. This must have been somewhere about where Clifton or Bulli now stand. Captain Cook saw what he calls Indians (aboriginals), but "they ran away into the woods." At daybreak on April 28, 1770, the men on the Endeavour discovered a bay, which seemed to be well sheltered from all winds, and into which it was determined to go with the ship. He sent the pinnace with the master (Mr. Molyneux) to sound the entrance, while the Endeavour kept on. Early in the afternoon they anchored under the southern shore, two miles within the entrance, in six fathoms of water. The natives on shore do not seem to have paid much attention at first to Captain Cook and his party. The latter made advances towards them, but were repelled with scorn. The ribbons, beads, etc., which they left in a hut (or mia mia) on the top of a hill were not removed next morning, "and not an Indian was to be seen." A party of men were sent on the second day to dig holes in the sand, where the water might gather, but going ashore a little later some of the officers found upon a more diligent search a small stream more than sufficient for their purpose. Thus passed the momentous April 28, 1770, and its successor.

After over 300 years of history, what we call the United States have now 82 million people, though they started 120 years ago with only 3½ millions. As we have five millions now, is it not reasonable to expect that we shall have about the same number in another 135 years? If so, how important becomes the anniversary of the day when Captain Cook sailed into Botany Bay, and thus virtually founded the British dominions in this part of the world. Probably Captain Cook and his companions builded better than they knew, because it is not given to all men to peer into the future. It was upon the report of his voyage that the British Government, smarting under the loss of their American colonies (which had become independent), determined to effect settlement in the great island continent to the south. Phillip and the first fleet were, therefore, sent to Eastern Australia, or N.S. Wales, as it was sometimes called. But that was only the second great step in the matter, and it ought therefore the anniversary of Phillip's second landing—the one at Sydney Cove—holiday. And in connection with that settlement by Phillip, what a marvellous prophecy was the one made by Erasmus Darwin, grandfather of the great Charles Darwin. Erasmus Darwin died in 1802, and the poem referred to was written in or about 1791. Here are some of its lines:—

Where Sydney Cove her lucid bosom swells,
Courts her young navies and the storm repels;
High on a rock, amid the troubled air,
Hope stood sublime, and wav'd her golden hair;
"Hear me," she cried, "ye rising realms record
Time's opening scenes, and Truth's unerring word.
There shall tall spires and dome-capped towers ascend,
And piers and quays their massy structures blend;
While with each breeze approaching vessels glide,
And northern treasures dance on every tide!"
Then ceased the nymph—tumultuous echoes roar,
And Joy's loud voice was heard from shore to shore—
Her graceful steps descending pressed the plain,
And Peace, and Art, and Labour joined her train.

Has not that prophecy been verified almost to the last word? We have realised all that the poet predicted, and we are destined to realise still higher and better things. Within fifty years Australia will be the most powerful nation in the southern world. Therefore, I repeat, the anniversary of Captain Cook's landing in Botany Bay should be our chief holiday, because it was the beginning of things British in this part of the world, and it was free from the sombre surroundings which accompanied the proclamation of Captain Phillip on January 26, 1788.

MR. HUGH M'ILRATH.

The disappearance in China of Mr. Hugh M'Ilrath, the well-known merchant, of Sydney, is still unaccounted for. A cable received yesterday by Mr. W. M'Ilrath from his brother, Mr. Martin M'Ilrath, who for several weeks has been searching through China for the missing member of the firm, is to the effect that he has exhausted every means to trace his brother in Hongkong and Canton, and has failed to get any clue. Mr. Martin M'Ilrath has now gone over to Shanghai to continue the search, but [illegible] grave fears that his labour will be in vain.

With reference to Mr. M'Ilrath's disappearance, a representative of the "Sydney Morning Herald" interviewed Mr. W. Jackson, a member of the staff of the "South China Morning Post," who has just arrived in Brisbane. Mr. Jackson left Hongkong on March 23, and at that time there was no report of any European having been missed. Nor, indeed, had he heard anything of Mr. M'Ilrath's fate. The police system in Hongkong is amongst the most perfect in the world, and it would be impossible that Mr. M'Ilrath could have been the victim of [illegible] force includes Europeans, Sikhs, and Chinese, and so [illegible] sampans [illegible] of the vessels in harbour, either by day or night, is checked by the officer on leaving the pier, and the number of the sampan is recorded in books, so that if anything should arise.

It has been stated that Mr. M'Ilrath intended leaving for Canton, and Mr. Jackson states that there are several steamers every day between Hongkong and Canton, but each European passenger inscribes his name in the books of the company before leaving, so that anyone can easily be traced. He places [illegible] life as in Hongkong as in any Australian city, and regards the suggestion of foul play as altogether out of the question. Having reached Canton, the traveller would still be under quite sufficient protection. The probable explanation [illegible] may have [illegible] to change his plans [illegible] have [illegible] friends.

Mr. Jackson added that the present Governor of Hongkong, Sir Matthew Nathan, is one of the most active men ever appointed to that important post, and he would certainly leave no stone unturned to trace the whereabouts of any European who might be reported missing.

SCHOOL OF TROPICAL DISEASES.

ADELAIDE, Friday.

At a meeting of the University Council to-day, it was unanimously agreed that a school of tropical diseases be established at Townsville (Q.), under the control of the University of Sydney.

SPORTING.

THE TURF.

The April reunion of the Rosehill Racing Club will provide an outing for metropolitan racegoers this afternoon, while an important sporting function takes place at Newcastle—the official opening of the local club's new racecourse at Broadmeadow. The Ipswich Jockey Club's meeting is the principal racing fixture in Southern Queensland, and Victorian sporting folk will be catered for at Sandown Park.

The annual cup meeting of the Newcastle Jockey Club takes place this afternoon on the new racecourse at Broadmeadow, and marks a new era in the history of the turf in that district. Hitherto, the Jockey Club rented the old racecourse, but about four years ago the committee obtained the freehold of the area at Broadmeadow, upon which a first-class track has been formed, and an up-to-date racecourse equipment has been provided. The prizemoney to be distributed at the meeting, which extends over two days—to-day and Wednesday next—aggregates £1000, consequently record entries have been received, and a number of first-class horses will compete this afternoon in the Cup. The secretary, Mr. J. Grisdale, has made arrangements with the railway department for a fast special to leave the Central Railway Station at 7.35 a.m. to-day, and to depart on the return journey from Newcastle at 6 p.m. On the arrival of the metropolitan trains at Newcastle station a tram service will be ready to convey visitors to the racecourse gates. The first race is timed to start at 1 p.m. to-day.

The well known Randwick trainer, I. Earnshaw, who has been suffering from a bad attack of bronchitis during the early part of the week, is now making good progress towards recovery.

Black Diamond, who appears among the entrants for the Park Stakes in connection with the Canterbury Park May meeting, has had his name changed to Gracewood.

Merriwa Race Club (May 28 and 29), and Lismore Turf Club (May 22) race meetings have been granted registration by the A.J.C.

The scratchings recorded yesterday in connection with the Rosehill April meeting were Grafton Lad out of the Rosehill Handicap, Neirbo and Sea Gold out of the Carlingford Mile, and Ranmore out of the Granville Stakes.

The A.J.C. committee has found it necessary, owing to the increased attendances at Randwick, to enlarge the grand stand enclosure, and the plans drafted by Mr. T. S. Clibborn for the extension include the land surrounding the ranger's cottage near the old entrance gates. Tenders will shortly be invited for the removal of the present fence and the erection of it on the new boundary line.

At a meeting of the committee of the New South Wales Trotting Club, held last Tuesday, an application was received for the removal of the disqualification of G. C. Caldwall and the chestnut gelding Nimbus, alias Angel A.; but the committee declined to entertain the request. A programme was passed for the next trotting meeting on May 11.

The seven events on the card for the Kensington Pony and Galloway Meeting, to be held next Wednesday, attracted 114 entries yesterday.

Messrs. H. Chisholm and Co. report having effected the following leases:—Bay yearling colt, by Clarion from Chevisaunce, to Mr. G. A. Schnieder, of Camden, for the term ending July 31, 1909; br f by Grafton from Fiancee, 2yrs, to Mr. W. Gibbs, of Kogarah; and blk c Nandillyan, by Lancaster from Speranza, 2yrs, to Captain J. Smith, for 12 months.

Sedan, favourite for the Adelaide Cup, has shown signs of soreness in a shoulder. He did walking exercise yesterday. A veterinary surgeon was called in, and said there was nothing wrong with the horse. Yesterday at Adelaide support was accorded Nipper for the Cup.

It is notified elsewhere that applications for the removal of disqualifications incurred under rule 6 of racing will be received by the secretary of the A.J.C. up to 4 p.m. on Friday, May 10.

ROSEHILL RACING CLUB.

APRIL MEETING.

Racegoers are invited to the Rosehill April meeting this afternoon, and the bill of fare to be discussed holds forth promise of interesting sport. The track is reported to be in splendid condition, and, as usual, the management has made due arrangements for the comfort and convenience of visitors. The transit arrangements from the city include special trains starting from the Central Railway Station at 11.50 a.m. (horses and attendants), 12.20 (mixed), 12.52 (first), 12.55 (second), 1.0 (first), 1.8, 1.23, and 1.43 p.m. (mixed). The 12.20, 12.55, 1.0, and 1.23 trains stop at Strathfield to pick up passengers, while that which leaves at 1.43 p.m. will stop at Petersham, Lewisham, Summer Hill, Ashfield, and Strathfield. Proceedings commence at 2 p.m. sharp with the Hurdle Race, in which Atlantean, Colleague, and Charge seem to have the best prospects, and they may get home in that order. Violet Cup, Glenbrook, Mary of Argyle, and Novellina should have the settlement of the April Stakes among them, and the numbers may go up for Violet, Glenbrook, and Novellina. Fairy Lass, Reaction, Adios, and Lebanon seem likely to fight out the battle for the Granville Stakes, and Fairy Lass, Reaction, and Lebanon may pass the judge as named. Filli Fogl, Montcalm, and Hildebrook read as well as anything in the Nursery Handicap, and the trio should fill the situations. The battle for the Rosehill Handicap should be fought out among Legion, Zenda, Woodrose, and Grand Somnus, while Legion, Woodrose, and Grand Somnus may divide the honours. The afternoon's sport will be brought to a close with the Carlingford Mile, in which Absentee, Royal Arthur, E. L. C., and The Shades should run well, and, if started, Absentee should be equal to winning, otherwise The Shades, E. L. C., and Royal Arthur may occupy the places. The programme is appended:—

Hurdle Race, 2m.—Atlantean, 11st 10lb; Colleague, 10st 6lb; Toprail, 9st; The Clipper, 9st; Ironite (late Yankee Doodle), 9st; Change, 9st.

April Stakes, 6f.—Harvest Lad, 9st 2lb; Violet Cup, 8st 5lb; Loch Lomond, 8st 2lb; Glenbrook, 8st; Mary of Argyle, 7st 10lb; Novellina, 7st 10lb; Oriet, 7st 7lb; London, 6st 10lb; Goldproof, 6st 7lb.

Granville Stakes, 1m.—Fairy Lass, 8st 10lb; Reaction, 8st 4lb; Adios, 8st; Lebanon, 7st 12lb; Clemton, 7st 10lb; Soleil, 7st 7lb.

Nursery Handicap, 6f.—Filli Fogl, 9st 5lb; Montcalm, 8st 12lb; Maesmore, 8st 10lb; Hildebrook, 7st 13lb; Proportion, 7st 13lb; San Paku, 7st 11lb; Guarantee, 7st 11lb; Scotch Annie, 7st 9lb; Decima, 7st 9lb; Indolent, 7st 9lb; Astron, 7st 7lb.

Rosehill Handicap, 1¼m 100yds.—Refrain, 9st 8lb; Legion, 8st 11lb; Gowrie, 8st 8lb; Zenda, 8st 8lb; Woodrose, 8st 6lb; Roosevelt, 8st 3lb; Tregeare, 7st 8lb; Grand Somnus, 7st 5lb.

Carlingford Mile.—Leonator, 9st 10lb; Absentee, 8st 6lb; Woodrose, 9st 3lb; Royal Arthur, 9st 3lb; E.L.C., 9st; Sir Frantic, 9st; Mustang, 8st 4lb; The Shades, 8st 4lb; Oriet, 7st 12lb; Fairy Lass, 7st 7lb.

VICTORIAN SPORTING NOTES.

MELBOURNE, Friday.

The appeal of J. Chevally against the action of the Coldstream stewards in disqualifying him for a month for alleged suspicious practices, was dealt with by the V.R.C. committee to-day, and the decision was altered to one of censure for careless riding.

The appeal of the jockey Doran, who was disqualified for 12 months for foul riding at the same meeting, was dismissed.

FORBES PICNIC RACE CLUB.

ANNUAL RACE MEETING.

FORBES, Friday.

The seventh annual reunion of the Forbes Picnic Race Club was held at Wandary station yesterday, in delightful weather, and a large and fashionable attendance fully testified its appreciation of the meeting. When the picnic parties foregathered for luncheon along the banks of the picturesque Lachlan River, the festive scene was bright and animated. Among the visitors were Dr. Johnson (Parkes), Messrs. G. Morton (Orange), H. Farrand (Inverell), Mr. and Mrs. Bowman (Derowrie), Mr. Osborne Hay and Miss M'Intyre (Walcha), Mr. and Mrs. M'Phillamy (Warroo), and Mr. Newman Marshall (Grenfell). Considerable attention has been given to the track since last meeting, and the racing was very good. A feature of the racing was the success of the team brought up by Messrs. Haley Brothers, of Booberoi, the first five events on the card being secured by horses carrying their livery, Narrara, by Escutcheon from Dream Bell, winning the double—the Bracelet and Cup—and Mr. J. J. Strickland's representatives running second four times in succession. The customary Picnic ball was held in the Town Hall, in the evening, and was attended by over 50 couples. The prizes were presented to the winners by Mr. Stitt, the president of the club, Messrs. Haley Brothers being principal recipients. The following are the results of the racing:—

Welcome Stakes, 6f.—Messrs. Haley Brothers' br g Oyama, by Escutcheon—Kitty, 6yrs, 10st 7lb (Mr. L. Haley), 1; Mr. J. J. Strickland's br g Lucifer, aged, 10st 8lb (Mr. C. Halloran), 2; Mr. J. Rawsthorne's br g Benzoni, aged, 10st 5lb, 3. Fifteen started. A splendid race, Oyama winning by a nose. Time, 1m 7 3-5s.

Bracelet, 6f.—Messrs. Haley Bros.' b g Narrara, by Escutcheon—Dream Bell, 5yrs, 10st 10lb (Mr. L. Haley), 1; Mr. J. J. Strickland's br g Ben Trovato, 6yrs, 11st 5lb (Mr. C. R. Halloran), 2; Mr. Tatcher's b g Joy, aged, 11st 5lb 3. Twelve started. A magnificent race; won on the post by a head. Time, 1m 20 1-5s.

Bachelors' Bag, 6f.—Messrs. Haley Bros.' br g Koko, by Cocos—Princess Alice, 6yrs, 10st 11lb (Mr. R. Burcher), 1; Mr. J. J. Strickland's br g Lucifer, 10st 6lb (Mr. C. R. Halloran), 2; Sprite, 10st, 3. This was a good race, Koko gaining the judge's verdict by half a length, the others being bunched. Time, 1m 21s.

Picnic Race Club Cup, about 1m 80yds.—Messrs. Haley Bros.' Narrara, by Escutcheon—Dream Bell, 11st 6lb, including 10lb penalty (Mr. Burcher), 1; Mr. P. Weston's b g Billy Mack, 5yrs, 10st 12lb, 2; Ben Trovato, 11st 3lb, 3. Eleven started. Ingleddon led from the rise of the barrier, closely followed by Heraldry, and considerable bumping ensued, but when in the straight Narrara shot out, and won by a length. Time, 1m 49 3-5s.

Wandary Handicap, 6f.—Messrs. Haley Bros.' b g Loyalty, by Beggarman, aged, 12st 5lb (Mr. Burcher), 1; Mr. J. J. Strickland's b m May Be, 5yrs, 10st (Mr. C. R. Halloran), 2; Benoni, 10st 4lb, 2. Nine started; and after a ding dong battle the topweight won by a length. Time, 1m 21 2-5s.

Auld Lang Syne Handicap, 5f.—Mr. A. Gibson's br g Hardface, by Sir Oliver—Lauristina, aged, 12st 8lb (Mr. Lintoll), 1; Heraldry, 12st, 2; Ben Trovato, 11st 9lb, 3. Twelve started. Won easily. Time, 1m 6 3-5s.

CYCLING AND MOTORING

TO-DAY'S FIXTURES.

Balmain Bicycle Club.—Ten-miles road race over the Homebush course.

Northern Suburbs Bicycle Club.—Five-miles road race over the Chatswood course.

Enfield Bicycle Club.—Ten-miles road race over the Homebush course.

Swift Bicycle Club.—Five-miles road race over the Maroubra course.

Annandale Bicycle Club.—Five-miles road race over the Homebush course.

Western Suburbs Bicycle Club.—Ten-miles road race at Homebush.

Parramatta Bicycle Club.—Run to Homebush.
Australian Club.—Cycle polo at Wonderland City.
Ashfield Bicycle Club.—Run to Campbelltown.
Newtown Bicycle Club.—Run to Homebush.
Sydney Club.—Run to Yarra Bay.
Suburban Club.—Impromptu run.
Redfern Bicycle Club.—Run round the bridges.
Marrickville Club.—Open run.
Burwood Club.—Run to Bankstown.
Rockdale and District Club.—Impromptu run.
Wharinga Bicycle Club.—Two days tour to "The Rest," National Park.
Entries close for the M'Neil-Austral road race.
Botany Bicycle Club.—Run to Homebush.
South Sydney Bicycle Club.—Open run.
Columbia Bicycle Club.—Run to Homebush.
Pioneer Motor Cycle Club.—Impromptu run.
Motor Boat Club.—Fishing competition in Sydney Harbour.
Eastern Suburbs Club.—Run to South Head.

AUTOMOBILE CLUB OF AUSTRALIA.

The Automobile Club of Australia held a meeting at the rooms in Elizabeth-street on Thursday evening with regard to the Brisbane-Adelaide reliability run. It was decided to leave matters in abeyance until something definite is known as to the attitude of the trade.

MOTOR BOATING.

The Motor Boat Club of New South Wales will today hold an interesting fishing competition for members. Teams will be picked and the respective sides will be captained by Mr. A. J. Knowles and Mr. Arthur Davies. Those taking part in the contest will meet at Shark Island at 2.45 p.m.

The club intends holding an outside boatrace on May 11.

A new cabin launch called the Goddard, and built to the order of Mr. Wm. Cox, of Rockdale, has just been completed. The new boat is fitted with an 8-h.p. twin-cylinder Jersey City Standard engine.

A new 70ft boat, fitted with a 50-h.p. engine, has just been planked up. She is to the order of Mr. Herbert Elliott.

Mr. W. Strahan, of Woy Woy, has ordered a new cabin launch, 35ft by 9ft. She is being built by Mr. Charles Dunn, and will be used at Woy Woy for passenger work. She is being fitted with an 8-h.p. Jersey City Standard two-cylinder engine.

THE M'NEIL AUSTRAL ROAD RACE.

The entries for this event will close this evening with Mr. Alick M'Neil. The following is the prize-list for the contest:—First prize, Austral bicycle valued £12 10s, presented by Mr. Alick M'Neil; second prize, trophy valued £3 3s, presented by Messrs. Walker and Hall and Redfern Bicycle Club; third prize, gold medal valued at £2 2s, given by Mr. E. C. Griffiths; fourth prize, £1 1s trophy, by Messrs. Bennett and Wood. There will also be time and special prizes awarded.

WESTERN SUBURBS BICYCLE CLUB.

The following are the handicaps of the above club's 10-mile road race to the run on the Homebush course this afternoon:—V. W. M'Lean, scr; S. Beet, 35s; B. Mills, 45s; C. Hooper, 50s; W. Starratt, 1m 10s; R. Bowles, 1m 15s; G. Edwards, 1m 50s; C. Rowes, 1m 55s; O. Smith, K. G. Ash, W. Thorne, C. M'Lean, 2m; H. Boyan, 2m 5s; H. Freeman, W. Fortier, 2m 20s; D. Kirk, 2m 40s; W. Robertson, 3m 35s; W. Leftley, W. Patrick, 4m; E. Callagan, 4m 5s.

BRITANNIA B.C.

FIVE MILE OPEN ROAD RACE.

The following officials have been appointed to control the five-mile road race of the above club, open to members of N.S.W. Cyclists' Association, which will be run on Saturday, May 4:—Judges, Messrs. Grantham, Muir, Furse; referee, Mr. A. E. Bennington; stewards, Messrs. E. Larcombe, T. Andrew,; starter, Mr. B. Muir; timekeepers, Messrs. W. Jeffs and A. Balding; turning point steward, Mr. H. Andrews; clerk of course, Mr. G. Correy. A special meeting of club members will be held at the rooms, Volunteer Hotel, George-street West, on Tuesday night.

ROCKDALE AND DISTRICT BICYCLE CLUB.

The above club held their last meeting on Tuesday, 16th. The club has now 28 members. A five-mile road race is set down for next month, but the date has not yet been decided upon. The run for Sunday will be to La Perouse, leaving Rockdale at 9 a.m.

CYCLISTS' UNION.

The Swift Bicycle Club will decide a five miles road race this afternoon over the Bunnerong course. Close on 20 riders have nominated for the contest.

For the Balmain Bicycle Club's five miles road race this afternoon over the Homebush course 29 riders have entered.

The Northern Suburbs Club's five miles road race this afternoon over the Chatswood course has drawn an entry of 32 riders, amongst whom are W. S. Knox, the half-mile amateur champion, who is receiving 10s from the scratch men.

For the Western Suburbs Bicycle Club's 10 miles road race this afternoon the start and finish will be Newell's Hotel.

Negotiations are pending for the erection of new clubrooms.

GOLF.

To-day's engagements are:—
Royal Sydney G.C.—Sealed pairs.
Dobroyde G.C.—Monthly medal competition.
Hunter's Hill G.C.—Monthly stroke competition.
Killara G.C.—Silver putter competition.
Parramatta G.C.—Bogey competition for Mr. H. M. Hamilton's trophy.
Concord G.C.—Combined handicap, stroke.
Marrickville G.C.—Monthly medal match on new links. Nine holes have been prepared.

CONCORD G.C.

Associate members' medal match.

Mrs. Bray	115— 9=106
Mrs. Pring	121— 9=112
Mrs. Nixon	133—20=113

The union silver medal was won by Mrs. Bray, with 115—16=99.

WINDSOR, Friday.

The golf season has commenced in Windsor. Mrs. J. J. Paine has been elected president of the local club, Miss Beazley treasurer, and Miss Jessie Dandie secretary.

FOOTBALL.

OPENING OF RUGBY SEASON.

This is the first day of the Rugby Football season. Practice matches have been played for the past month, and, judging by the interest they have excited, today's competition engagements should attract larger crowds than ever. The fixtures are:—

FIRST GRADE.

Glebe v Balmain, Sydney Cricket Ground. Referee, Mr. N. Martin.
University v North Sydney, Sports Ground. Referee, Mr. C. E. Morgan.
Eastern Suburbs v Sydney, Rushcutter Bay Oval. Referee, Mr. G. Boss.
Western Suburbs v South Sydney, University Oval. Referee, Mr. C. B. Cochrane.
Newtown v Manly, Manly. Referee, Mr. E. E. Keary.
St. George, a bye.

SECOND GRADE.

Western Suburbs v Parramatta, Parramatta Oval.
Balmain v St. George, Brighton.
Mosman v University, University Oval, 2 o'clock.
Sydney Training College v South Sydney, Sydney Cricket Ground No. 2, 3 o'clock.
Eastern Suburbs v Royal Artillery, Rushcutter Bay Oval, 2 o'clock.
Glebe v Marrickville, Sydney Cricket Ground, 2 o'clock.
North Sydney v Manly, Sports Ground, 2 o'clock.
Ashfield v Alexandria, Alexandria Oval.
Newtown v Sydney, Erskineville Oval.

BOROUGH.

Balmain v Waterloo, Sydney Cricket Ground No. 2, 2 p.m.
Kogarah v University, Brighton.
Paddington v Leichhardt, Birchgrove Oval.
Manly v Annandale, Domain.
Ashfield v Marrickville, St. Luke's Oval.
Burwood, a bye; Mosman withdrawn.
Redfern v Newtown, Waterloo Oval.
Petersham v Surry Hills, Erskineville Oval, 2 p.m.
North Sydney v Glebe, Mosman Oval.

AUSTRALIAN.

Redfern v East Sydney, Moore Park.
Newtown v North Shore, Moore Park.
Paddington v Sydney, Agricultural Ground.
Y.M.C.A. v Balmain, Moore Park.

BRITISH ASSOCIATION.

Balmain v Royal Navy, Epping Racecourse, 3.30 p.m.
Ultimo v Glebe, Epping Racecourse, 2.30 p.m.
Pyrmont v Adamstown, Adamstown.

RUGBY.

SOUTH SYDNEY JUNIOR UNION.

A meeting of the above union was held on Monday evening, the 22nd instant. There was a good attendance of members. The chair was taken by Mr. T. M'Gann. Mr. Flanagan resigned the secretaryship, and Mr. W. M'Millan was elected in his place pro tem.

The following office-bearers were elected:—Patron, Mr. J. M'Mahon; president, Mr. C. Devir; vice-presidents, Messrs. W. Johnston, J. Mason, P. Potter, Alderman Metcalfe, Alderman Danks, Alderman Ross, and Alderman English; auditors, Messrs. T. M'Gann and G. Ball; hon. treasurer, Mr. C. Atkinson.

Entries for the "B" grade (9-stone), and "C" grade (8st 7lb) will close on the 4th May, with Mr. W. M'Millan, hon. secretary pro tem.

Sobraon defeated Fort-street at Birchgrove on Thursday by 15 points to nil. For Sobraon Potts, Cash, and Hughes scored tries, whilst Hampson and Potts kicked a goal each. Hampson's kicking was very fine, the ball hitting the goal-pole in two instances. Mr. H. Mitchell refereed.

Sobraon "B" team defeated Fort-street "B" team on same ground by 6 to 3. Learing and Smith scored for Sobraon, and Somers for Fort-street.

AUSTRALIAN RULES.

At last night's meeting of the N.S.W. League, held at the Sports Club, it was decided to send a team to Narrandera, and to accept the offer of the Victorian Amateur Athletic League to send a team of schoolboys to Sydney during July.

The Young Australian Association has affiliated with the N.S.W. League.

CRICKET.

LAST DAY OF THE SEASON.

With the umpires' application of the closure this afternoon, the cricketer will put away his flannels until next October. In the meantime he will look forward until the time comes to open them out, a time which will usher him into what might be the busiest cricket season we have ever had. If the musical ring of the willow in the compilation of centuries be not heard, there will still be a lot to keep our eyes and thoughts fixed upon the deeds of the old world cricketer. In view of the approaching visit of the M.C.C. team, many will be the speculations of the prospects of success this or that aspirant to international honours is likely to meet with on the sunny fields of Australia.

To-day the senior competition will close. Paddington stand on clover for the premiership and Rawson Cup. They have lost five wickets for 262 against Central Cumberland, and if they decide to play on for a while the time occupied will rob Central Cumberland of the remotest chance of winning, and thus assure a draw or a victory for Paddington. In the other two matches, Redfern have obtained 256 against Gordon, and Burwood 106 against Glebe, four for 90. The second grade competition will also be continued. The fixtures are:—

FIRST GRADE.

Paddington v Central Cumberland, Hampden Park. Umpires, Messrs. J. Laing and Lucas.
Glebe v Burwood, Wentworth Park Umpires, Messrs. Bruton and C. Nicholls.
Gordon v Redfern, Chatswood. Umpires, Messrs. Callaway and Hawkesworth.

SECOND GRADE.

Glebe v Redfern, Redfern.
North Sydney v Randwick, North Sydney.
Petersham v Waverley, Petersham.

BOWLS.

TO-DAY'S MATCHES.

RAWSON CUP COMPETITION.

The opening round of the Rawson Cup competition will be played this afternoon. The contest, which is for a cup presented by his Excellency Sir Harry Rawson, is managed by the pennant committee of the New South Wales Bowling Association. The conditions of play are similar to those of the pennant competition, with this difference, that as soon as a club loses a match it falls out of the contest. The remaining clubs play on until only one is left in, which is declared the winner. At present Ashfield holds the prize. Nineteen clubs have entered the contest this year, which means that 288 players will take the field to-day in the opening round. Waverley will have a bye. The draw for this afternoon is as follows:—

Manly v Marrickville, on City Green.
Ashfield v St. George, at Redfern.
Petersham v North Sydney, at Balmain.
Strathfield v Randwick, at Petersham.
Warringah v Gladstone Park, at Manly.
Hunter's Hill v Redfern, at North Sydney.
Chatswood v Parramatta, at Victoria Park.
Victoria Park v Mosman, at Ashfield.
Balmain v City, at Waverley.
Waverley, a bye.

INTERCLUB MATCHES.

The following interclub matches will also be played this afternoon:—

Petersham, four rinks at Marrickville.
Balmain, two rinks at Waverley.
Waverley, two rinks at Warringah.
Burwood, four rinks at Ashfield.
Petersham, three rinks at Burwood.
City, three rinks at Randwick.
Warringah, two rinks at Manly.
Chatswood, three rinks at Strathfield.
Mosman, three rinks at Chatswood.

ROWING.

ST. IGNATIUS REGATTA.

The twenty-first annual regatta of St. Ignatius College Rowing Club will be held on Saturday next on the Lane Cove River. Steamer arrangements are advertised. The open races are, maiden fours, junior fours, Riverview eights, and a sculling handicap in best boats. In the maiden fours race, St. Ignatius and Sydney Grammar School crews, which rowed so fine a race on Wednesday, will meet again. It is probable there will be five crews in the eight-oar race. Entries close this (Saturday) evening with Mr. B. A. M'Bride, and positions will be drawn for on Monday. For many years past this regatta has been the success of the rowing season, and some thousands of visitors find their way to the beautiful grounds of Riverview College.

INTERSTATE RACES.

The New South Wales eight-oar crew managed to get a row on the Yarra when passing through Melbourne for Adelaide. It was considered fairly satisfactory by the coach, and seems to have created a favourable impression amongst those who saw it. The crew was in a strange boat, which is a considerable disadvantage at any time. The latest news from Adelaide is that our crew had made marked improvement, the catch being brighter, the finish more pronounced, and the combination far better than while the crew was in practice here.

The Western Australian crew has been for a full week on the Port River at Adelaide, but nothing is known here as to their form. The Victorian crew has been doing what might be termed marvellously good work, if the press reports can be relied upon. One report states that the crew when rowing 38 strokes per minute "cleared 8ft." This would mean that the swirl caused by No. 2 oar would be 8ft behind the place where stroke's oar caught the water on the next stroke, equal to a clear 40ft on a stroke, or at the rate of 58½s for a quarter-mile. That would be three or four lengths better than an average crew can do for the distance. It is confidently predicted that Victoria will not only win the Eight-oar Race, but that the Sculls will also be won by the Victorian holder, P. C. Ivens.

The Tasmanian crew will probably reach Adelaide today, and is regarded in home waters as having quite as good a chance as that of last year's crew, which won comfortably. There are two Tasmanian scullers, but so far as is known here neither should be able to beat Green or Ivens.

Of the Queensland crew nothing is known here, nor is it known whether they have gone through Sydney yet, our association not having been advised of their movements, but Mr. A. Burton, who is probably attached to the team, will reach Sydney to-day.

SAILING.

YACHT RACING.—A RETROSPECT.

A review of the past season's yacht racing is very cheering, as yachtsmen can look back well satisfied with the number and the quality of the races. The ocean races and interstate contests afforded perhaps the most alluring form of the sport. As an instance, take the contest for the "Basin Cup," covering something like 40 miles of sea work. It is doubtful if better conditions could prevail than those under which the contest was sailed.

The shorter ocean races (except an abortive one through a flagmark being misplaced) all proved interesting and satisfactory contests.

Rawhiti's venturesome trip to Port Phillip and back in quest of the Sayonara Cup aroused a lot of enthusiasm both here and in the Southern capital; added to this, there was the La Carabine Cup, presented by Sir Rupert Clarke, which came very prominently before the public. These two races gave considerable importance to the season's doings. Now that Mr. Saxton has challenged with his new 10-metre yacht Awanui for the Sayonara Cup, Rawhiti's failure to lift it becomes somewhat softened, and, as if to atone in some way for her defeat, she brought back with her the much-discussed La Carabine Cup.

The championship of the Royal Sydney Yacht Squadron was won by Mr. W. M. Marks's Culwulla; for second honours Rawhiti, Scotia, and Bona tied; Heather and Sunbeam scored one point a piece.

Messrs. T. M. Brenner and A. R. Marks' Scotia annexed the Prince Alfred Yacht Club's classic event, Culwulla and Magic being next in merit.

The Royal's programme consisted of seven races besides several afternoon miniature regattas. All were successfully carried through, except the race for the Carleton Cup, for yachts of 10 tons and unwards. The prize-money offered amounted to some £84, in addition to many cups. The Prince Alfred Yacht Club had 12 events listed, but actually 13 races were sailed. Some £180 was set apart for prize money, and there were many trophies also. Awanui's advent rekindled the interest in the larger type of yacht, and, no doubt, from a spectacular point of view, the bigger craft quite eclipse the 30-footers. Altogether last season's racing can be accounted very satisfactory, and what is more, the sport has received an impetus the effects of which will be carried forward, eventually beneficially influencing next season's racing.

The following is a list of the successful yachts and their winnings:—Culwulla, £45; Scotia, £45; Ku-Kuburra, £40; Rawhiti, £28; Awanui, £26; Sunbeam, £21; Magic, £18; Bul Bul, £15; Bona, £11; Heather, £13; Herreshoff, £10; Fleetwing, £6; Athene, £4; Cooya, £2.

HOSPITAL SATURDAY FUND.

ARRANGEMENTS FOR NEXT SATURDAY.

Next Saturday the fourteenth annual street collection for the Hospital Saturday Fund will be taken up by an army of collectors, organised by the executive committee, Messrs. D. Miller (chairman), P. N. Trebeck (hon. treasurer), and J. J. Cohen, M.L.A. (hon. secretary), and Mr. W. W. Dorman (official organiser). Several ladies have been gratuitously assisting the executive for some time. Altogether there will be 2000 collectors in the city and 1000 in the suburbs. The first collection for the fund was taken up in 1894, and as a result £1800 was distributed to eight hospitals. Last year the amount distributed by the fund to 27 hospitals was £4900, and the total handed to the treasurers of the various hospitals since the establishment of the fund was £49,100. The city is to be divided into 70 sections, and another section will comprise Sydney Harbour. The 37 suburban areas comprise 175 sections. About 150 more boxes will be used this year than last, and these will be amply in evidence in the combined street attack upon small givers, which is the feature of Hospital Saturday. In consequence of the legislation passed last year, the collection is now under municipal control, but so far only the City Council has had the necessary bylaws gazetted. The association has received the permission of the Lord Mayor to carry on the collection, and besides the official badge, which is held by all the collectors, each lady will be the bearer of a ticket giving her name and address, and designation of her position as a collector. This ticket must be exhibited on demand, and no children are to be allowed to collect.

It is anticipated that the indoor collection this year will exceed that of last year, as the response from factories has been highly satisfactory. It is further hoped that house-to-house and indoor collections will ultimately do away with the necessity for having a street-collection day, as is the case in London and Birmingham. A feature introduced last year was band music, and this will be continued this year. Twenty-four bands will play in various parts of the city and suburbs, the bands having given their services. Lieutenant Bentley, R.G.M., has assisted the executive in preparing the musical programmes, which will be announced next week.

Several gentlemen have offered their services as superintendents during the day, and their duties are to see that the rules are obeyed by collectors, and to give the ladies every assistance in getting their money to the banks. As in former years, the Bank of New South Wales has undertaken all the banking arrangements. The head office and most of the branches will remain open for the receipt of the money, and a barometer will be exhibited showing the progress of the collection. The executive has instructed collectors to bank at the branch of the bank nearest their section. In the city different caterers and refreshment proprietors have generously promised to supply meals to fully-accredited collectors. Three new districts have to be dealt with this year, namely, Alexandria, Chatswood, and Auburn.

NEWCASTLE.

CHIEF SECRETARY'S VISIT.

NEWCASTLE, Friday.

The Chief Secretary, Mr. Hogue, spent today in visiting public institutions in the city. In the morning he was entertained in an informal manner by the Mayor, Alderman A. H. James, the aldermen, and other representative citizens. Referring to the Newcastle Hospital, which he visited yesterday, Mr. Hogue remarked that its term of service in its present function might be possibly terminated in the near future. The ventilation of the building was disgraceful, and the general standard of its equipment was not in keeping with the importance of the city and port. Its location almost on the ocean beach rendered it unsuitable for a general hospital, and when the wind blew from the sea all the windows facing the ocean had to be closed. £5000 had been voted by the Government for the renovation of the building, and £1000 had been expended. It was undesirable to spend the balance of the money on the present building, and he would prefer to see the money devoted to the removal of the hospital to buildings now occupied by the Hospital for Insane, which, however, would require considerable structural alterations. The question of removing the Hospital for Insane from Newcastle to a site secured by the Government near Fassifern was referred to, and Mr Hogue said something would probably be done in that regard.

It was suggested to the Chief Secretary that in the event of the general hospital being removed the site would be eminently suited for the erection of a commodious Public school for Newcastle East, which was rapidly growing. The pupils of Bolton-street and Cook's Hill schools could be transferred to this central school. The attendance at the latter had decreased considerably lately, and it was desirable to devote the whole of that building to the functions of a high school. The Bolton-street School site could be sold to advantage, the estimated value of the land being £30 a foot. The Chief Secretary expressed himself as favourable to the proposals, although a decision could not be arrived at off-hand.

Subsequently, in company with the aldermen, Mr. Hogue visited the beach, and viewed the improvements made there for visitors and bathers. A request for £1000 for continuation of the retaining wall and other improvements was made. Mr. Hogue said that in view of the thousands of suburban and country visitors who enjoyed the attractions of the ocean beach their request was reasonable, and would have consideration.

Mr. Hogue, in company with Mr. Fegan, M.L.A., visited the Benevolent Asylum at Waratah in the afternoon, and returned to Sydney to-night.

At the Cockle Creek smelting works 1103 tons of ore were treated during the week, giving a yield of 1654oz of gold, 23,524oz of silver, and 224 tons of lead.

The following vessels cleared at the Customs-house to-day:—Orange Branch, s, for Manila, via Hongkong and Sydney, with 838 tons coal, 22,000 sleepers, 9 tons horseshoes; Ripley, s, for Coronel, via Wellington, with 6031 tons coal, 2 cases merchandise, 2 horses; Atua, s, for Suva, via Sydney, with 1400 tons coal.

The annual meeting of the Newcastle City Band was held to-night. There is a credit balance of £17 to the band account, and £55 to the prize contest competition account.

RAILWAY COMMISSIONERS.

DEPUTATIONS AT NEWCASTLE.

NEWCASTLE, Friday.

Mr. T. R. Johnson, Chief Railway Commissioner, accompanied by Mr. D. Kirkcaldie and Mr. H. Richardson, Assistant Commissioners, and other railway officials, arrived at Hamilton station last night. The night was spent in the Commissioners' car, and this morning the party visited the deviation works at Tighe's Hill, and surveyed the network of lines at the dyke. The new scheme, which provides for the accommodation of a greatly increased number of coal waggons at the marshalling yard, was given particular attention by the Chief Commissioner.

Subsequently the Commissioners arrived in the city and proceeded to the Council-chambers, where the Mayor of Newcastle (Alderman A. H. James), on behalf of the citizens, tendered Mr. Johnson and his colleagues a welcome. The Mayor remarked that they hoped Newcastle would no longer be treated merely as a station on the northern line, but as a terminal port. After thanking them for their welcome, Mr. Johnson said there were many important questions with which he had to become acquainted before decisions could be reached.

The Mayor asked that the electric tram service be introduced in lieu of steam traction service. In favour of the proposal it was urged that coal supplies were on the spot, and the conversion of the Sydney system resulted in a huge increase in the returns. Other requests were that an island platform be provided at Fassifern railway station, an improved service to Teralba and Fassifern, a half-hourly service to Merewether beach, alterations to the Mortuary station at Honeysuckle Point, an additional day train from Sydney to Glen Innes, on account of the crowded mail trains, excursion trains to the Blue Mountains, improvements to Newcastle railway station, including overhead platform coverings and the removal of the railway line at Hunter-street West, 100ft northerly.

In reply to the deputation Mr. Johnson promised consideration of each request. Very little extra revenue would result from the electrification of the tram service, while the expense would be very heavy. Regarding a more frequent train service to Fassifern, it might be possible to meet their wishes, while an additional car may be placed on the Merewether beach tram service. Crowding on the mail trains may be remedied by providing extra accommodation, but when the Sydney-Newcastle line was duplicated, as he hoped it eventually would be, the congestion would be effectually relieved. There were some big questions pending relating to the State railways, and consideration would show which was to be executed first. Regarding the improvements at the station, he had asked the engineer to prepare plans embodying suggested alterations to the station. The request to remove the railway line along Hunter-street West 100ft north would be considered, and as the land facing this street was very valuable the matter had a tempting aspect.

Later, the Commissioners received a number of other deputations at the railway station.

The Chamber of Commerce put forward a request that the preferential rates now ruling on the carriage of goods from Newcastle to Sydney be abolished, and that Newcastle should be considered the terminal port of the north and north-west. Thousands of pounds had been spent on building up the port, and the policy of the late Commissioners was to take the products of the north past Newcastle, their natural destination, to Sydney.

In reply Mr. Johnson said his experience showed that in most countries there was one place above all others which was the central market for certain commodities. It appeared to him, as a new-comer, that the market for wool and wheat was Sydney, and nothing the Commissioners could do would alter that. The matter seemed to be rather in the hands of the Chamber of Commerce. Other requests made were that the refreshment-room at Gosford be enlarged, increased accommodation at the goods sheds and a tramway waiting shed at Perkin-street. In regard to the latter the responsibility of the waiting-room being used as a refreshment-room rested with the council.

A deputation representing Wallsend and Plattsburg Council, introduced by Mr. Estell, M.L.A., asked for the institution of season tickets on the Wallsend-Newcastle tram. Mr. Johnson said the Commissioners were not favourable to the issue of season tickets on trams. The system had insuperable objections to it; they would be abused. Vienna was the only city which issued season tickets, and they were not prepared to introduce the system in this State.

A deputation from the Wickham Council asked for an abatement of the smoke nuisance; Merewether Council urged the running of an early tram; Hamilton Council asked that all trains be stopped at that station, and other improvements, and Adamstown Council requested that a concession regarding funeral trains be granted. The Commissioners promised early consideration.

The Commissioners this afternoon visited Cockle Creek, and inspected the Sulphide Corporation Works, and afterwards returned to Sydney.

The United Ancient Order of Druids are preparing a procession and sports meeting, to be held at Clifton Gardens on Prince of Wales' Birthday.

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AMUSEMENTS.

HER MAJESTY'S THEATRE.

This afternoon the usual extra matinee of "Mother Goose" will be given at Her Majesty's Theatre, where 40 performances of the new pantomime have now been given without the slightest diminution in the attendances. Miss Florence Young in her melodious number "Moon, Dear," Messrs. Phydora, Shine, and Loydall in the comic section of the piece, and Messrs. Queen and Le Brun as the old dame's piebald hunter, assist in the success of this splendidly staged play, in which the clever dancing of the little Dartos, and many other specialty interpolations, sustain the interest of the entertainment.

THEATRE ROYAL.

Sir Arthur Conan Doyle's new romantic drama "Brigadier Gerard" will be staged under Mr. J. C. Williamson's management at the Theatre Royal to-night, with Mr. Julius Knight in the central character of the dashing young Hussar who defies Talleyrand. The play will be picturesquely staged with gorgeous military costumes of the period, and with scenery by Messrs. Gordon, Little, and Board, showing a French farm-house, the boudoir of the Comtesse de Roquelaure, Talleyrand's salon, and the Emperor's study. Miss Marion Grey will appear as the Comtesse, with Miss Dorothy Sydney as Agnes, and a long cast will include Mr. Hubert Willis as the Emperor, Mr. Leslie Victor as Talleyrand, and Messrs. Plimmer, Macintosh, and Bentley in military characters.

PALACE THEATRE.

Gilbert Dayle's new comedy, "What Would a Gentleman Do?" to be performed by the Brough-Flemming Company at the Palace Theatre this evening, was originally staged in London at the Apollo Theatre, with Mr. Louis Bradfield as Dickie Hook, the generous Australian who assumes another's blame for the sake of the girl he loves, Miss Nina Boucicault as Madge, the girl in question, and Miss Beatrice Ferrar as a noisy, slangy, little sportswoman. These characters will now fall to Mr. Gregan MacMahon, Miss Gordon Lee, and Miss Beatrice Day. Mr. Winter Hall, a new actor, will make his debut as Ronald Kederby, and Mr. Carter Pickford, Miss Major, and other artists will assist. In "In Honor Bound" Miss Day and Mr. Herbert Flemming will both appear.

CRITERION THEATRE.

"The Village Blacksmith" now enters upon its last six nights at the Criterion Theatre, where the season has been especially prosperous. Indeed, there can be no doubt that the story of the honest village hero and his innocent wife, in which latter character Miss Eugenie Duggan is making her final appearance before retiring for a brief holiday vacation, will continue to be cordially supported to the end. Next Saturday Mr. Wm. Anderson will revive the favourite melodrama "Honor Thy Father," with Miss Ada Guildford and Mr. George Cross in the leading characters. Mr. Rege Robins' scenery will show Garth's farm, Charing Cross Gardens, and other tableaux of interest.

TIVOLI THEATRE.

This afternoon and evening, at the Tivoli Theatre, Mr. Harry Rickards will bring forward Miss Bijou Russell, newly arrived by the India from London. The new-comer is a lady coon singer and sand dancer. Charlene and Charlene are giving their refined drawing-room act, Emil Amiel, the new equilibrist and bender, is in the bill, and Cleopatra with her snakes, and Bonita with her gun and human targets, are also appearing. Mr. King and Miss Benson will enter upon their last two weeks here with an entirely new musical sketch entitled "The Newsboy." A long list of artists will include Mr. F. Bluett, Master Dewhurst, Misses Stella Ranger, Kilburn, Laurie, Sadler, and Eileen O'Neill.

Last night Mr. Claude Leplastrier concluded, amidst general enthusiasm, at the Tivoli Theatre, a season which is probably the longest that a lightning-sketch artist has ever achieved in Australian vaudeville circles. His engagement at the Tivoli has covered a continuous period of 105 nights, comprising 143 performances during four months, a "record" upon which the brilliant amateur artist and draftsman has been congratulated on all sides.

NATIONAL AMPHITHEATRE.

This afternoon and evening, at the National Amphitheatre, Mr. Harry Brennan will present a new programme, in which the present combination will be strengthened by the first appearances of Morris and Wilson, "the world's comedy acrobats," and Dainty Olga Pennington, soubrette and dancer. The Stagpoole Trio, Hamon and Wyatt, the Sandow Girls, the Leutons, Denis Carney, and other artists will assist. Next Saturday Mr. J. C. Bain will form the star attraction, and a number of new artists will appear. Mr. Bain, it should be added, is now business-manager at this house.

WONDERLAND CITY.

All day entertainments, culminating in a magnificent display of fireworks at night, will mark the close of Wonderland City, and Mr. Wm. Anderson will thus bring his first season at the new resort to a brilliant termination. A bicycle polo tournament has been arranged, as well as a half-mile handicap skating race, entries for which will be received on the contesting ground up to 8 o'clock this evening. The King's Theatre of Varieties and other attractions will be available. Mr. Anderson has devoted Monday evening at Wonderland to a benefit for his employees, who will be allowed the gross receipts.

THE BLACK-PREMYSLAV CONCERTS.

This evening the second of the Black-Premyslav concerts, a combination which caused such pleasurable interest and excitement on Wednesday, will be given at the Town Hall. Mr. Andrew Black's new songs will include "Dio Possente" ("Faust"), the "Two Grenadiers" (Schumann), "Shepherd See" (one of Korbay's fiery Hungarian ballads), the tender Gaelic melody "Turn Ye to Me," and songs by Carissimi, Lassen, and Jensen. Mr. Premyslav's opening piece will be Mozart's "Concerto E Flat Major," and the brilliant Polish violinist will also play Wieniawski's "Airs Russes," a Chopin "Nocturne," and pieces by d'Ambrosio, Zarzycki, and St. Lubin. Miss Bessie Beattie's principal solo will be the Bach-Tausig Toccata and Fugue in D Minor, for piano. The plan is at Paling's, where two grades of booking prices are announced.

THE BESSES O' THE BARN BAND.

The celebrated "Besses o' the Barn" Band will leave Auckland next week so as to open under Messrs. J. and N. Tait's management at the Town Hall on Saturday, May 11. During the season there will be frequent matinees, and the programme will be changed daily. The opening programme will include a "Tannhauser" selection, the "Poet and Peasant" overture, and "The Lost Chord."

Miss Marie Hall, one of the leading star violinists of the day in Europe and America, left Vancouver yesterday for Australia, where she will give 20 concerts under the Messrs. Tait's direction, opening in Melbourne June 1.

WEST'S PICTURES AND THE BRESCIANS.

The Lyceum has been crowded nightly throughout the week. This afternoon and evening the Brescians will vary their bright musical programme. Mr. J. T. West will retain the "Wreck of the Berlin," the "Voyage to New York," and the "Beauties of California" both afternoon and evening, owing to their exceptional popularity. The new features will be a Dutch series, "The Zuyder Zee," a new motor chase, "Love Wins," and the dramatic subjects, "The Miner's Daughter" and "The New Little Brother." There will be a few favourite comic films.

MOSMAN MUSICAL SOCIETY.

This evening the Mosman Musical Society will appear at the Mosman Town Hall in Benedict's "The Lily of Killarney," with a cast which will include Misses Geraldine Rivers, Laure Noakes, Madge Hellmrich, Messrs. J. Crabtree, Albert Emmerich, W. H. R. Woods, and W. H. Beattie. Mr. A. H. Norman will conduct, and there will be other performances, with a final appearance next Saturday.

MR. N. J. GEHDE'S MATINEE.

Mr. N. J. Gehde will give his second matinee concert at the Town Hall to-morrow afternoon, when the programme will include again one or two such favourite numbers as "Lo, Here the Gentle Lark," which will be sung by Miss Elsie Peerless, with flute obbligato by Mr. Trevelyan. The list of artists will include Misses Cavil, Thorndike, Messrs. I. K. Ngawaka, the Maori basso, F. Smith, W. J. Armstrong, Rossiter, F. Walstab, Wellaston, Graham, Summons, Masters Galvin and Williams.

SYDNEY CHORAL OPERATIC SOCIETY.

Next Wednesday evening the Sydney Choral Operatic Society will give the first concert of their season at the Paddington Town Hall under the personal supervision of Signora Fabris. The central feature will be the rendering of the charming operetta, "Breaking the Spell," and there will be a general programme, in which Miss Mary O'Keefe and Mr. W. Wentworth will join in the Miserere Scena from "Il Trovatore."

GIRLS' REALM GUILD CONCERT.

A successful concert was held in the Masonic Hall, North Sydney, on Thursday night, in aid of the funds of the Girls' Realm Guild. Amongst those assisting were Miss Emma Summilch, Miss Elizabeth Bruce, Miss Aileen Neill (siffleuse), and Miss Constance Bailey.

CLAY'S VAUDEVILLE COMPANY.

This evening Mr. Harry Clay's Vaudeville Company will resume their regular Saturday evening entertainment at the Royal Standard Theatre before entering upon their customary suburban circuit next week. New artists, new songs and dances, and new pictures will be presented to-night. The new artists will include Charles Albert and Will Dyson (comedians and dancers), Cinzerella Brothers (acrobats), and their dog, and Miss Eileen Capel, serio and mimic.

"ALL STARS" AT THE MASONIC HALL.

This evening the All Stars Variety Company will give their regular vaudeville entertainment at the New Masonic Hall, under the continued management of Mr. Frederick Parks. Favourite comedians, dancers, and singers will assist, and the new biograph pictures will form a feature.

SYDNEY SKATING RINK.

The attendance at the Sydney Skating Rink (Ltd.), Prince Alfred Park, continues to steadily improve. Last Tuesday ladies attended in large numbers on the occasion of the first special ladies' night; and on Wednesday the rink was filled with skaters and their friends. The first two heats of the Novice Handicap, half-mile, the final of which is to take place to-night, resulted:—First heat: H. Maitland, 1; H. Ralph, 2; H. Thomas, 3. Second heat: E. Gairns, 1; C. Botcher, 2; Maclurcan, 3. The first fancy and evening dress carnival of the season is announced for Wednesday, May 15.

ROLLER SKATING AT BONDI BEACH.

The new rink which was opened on Saturday last at Bondi Beach Park has attracted a large number of visitors and skaters during the week. The Bondi Recreation Company, Limited, has spared no expense in making the place attractive and comfortable for visitors, and the tramway authorities are stopping the Bondi Beach trams at the entrance to the rink to meet the convenience of the public, which is greatly appreciated by visitors.

CLIFTON GARDENS CONCERT.

To-morrow in the pavilion at Clifton Gardens the concert programme will be given by Miss Lucy Lee, Miss Ruby Falkner, Mr. Jeffcott, and Hughes, and Purcell's orchestra.

BURNS ANNIVERSARY CLUB.

At the monthly meeting of the Burns Anniversary Club to be held in the Protestant Hall, Castlereagh-street, this evening, Mr. James Muir, J.P., will deliver a lecture on Scotland, illustrated with limelight views.

MUSICAL FESTIVAL AT PETERSHAM.

In connection with the Australasian Congregational Union, a musical festival is to be held at Petersham, at which Mr. G. C. C. Hellemann will conduct a fine body of voices, suitably supported, and with well-known artists amongst the soloists. Full particulars will be found in our advertising columns.

OXFORD THEATRE.

The World's Picturescope Company will submit a complete change of bill this afternoon and evening. The new moving pictures will include a fine film showing a chase round the world by a detective after a criminal. All the principal cities and sites will be shown. Florio Franisch, the Austrian Hercules, and wrestler, Mr. Hindmarsh Jamieson, and the other old favourites, will contribute a new vaudeville programme.

THE HAYMARKET HIPPODROME.

At the Haymarket Hippodrome to-night, the Bohemian Dramatic Company will produce the domestic drama, "A Flight from Justice." Previous to the drama a series of pictures from original photographs will be exhibited of many of the notorious Australian bushrangers. A matinee will be held this afternoon.

THE WORLD'S TOURING CARS.

This week's tour is full of interest for the travelling public. The trip starts with a run over Mount Seriat, then the traveller finds himself in Agra. Leaving India, he passes to China, visiting the cities of Hanoi and Canton.

The "Thripelodeon," under the same management, announces a complete change of bill.

OBSERVATORY HILL.

DEPUTATION TO THE PREMIER.

A SYMPATHETIC REPLY.

DAWES POINT SUGGESTED.

A deputation from the public meeting held in the Town Hall on Tuesday evening waited upon the Premier yesterday afternoon and presented the resolutions passed thereat protesting against any portion of the Observatory Hill being used as a site for the Imperial Mint. The deputation was introduced by the Lord Mayor (Alderman Thomas Hughes).

Alderman M'Ivor, on behalf of the residents of that part of the city, which he represented in the council, protested against any encroachments on the reserve, which was one of the finest in the Commonwealth. There were numbers of other sites which could be obtained without taking a portion of a reserve which was an absolute necessity for health in the congested district in which it was situated.

Alderman Fitzgerald said there was no necessity to encroach on the park.

Mr. Carruthers: Where did you get the idea that anyone was going to encroach on the park? There is no proposal to encroach on the Observatory Hill site one foot.

Alderman Fitzgerald said they did not want the Mint there, and he trusted the Premier would get another site.

Mr. Carruthers: Is there any objection to its going to Dawes Point.

Alderman Fitzgerald: There is no objection, providing it does not encroach on the reserve there.

Mr. Carruthers: You think there would be no objection?

Alderman Fitzgerald: No objection whatever.

Mr. Carruthers: Are you an alderman?

Alderman Fitzgerald: Yes.

Mr. Carruthers: What were you doing when the council encroached on Lang Park. (Laughter.)

Alderman Fitzgerald said he offered the strongest opposition to the council encroaching on that park.

Mr. J. D. Fitzgerald was convinced the citizens were solid in their opposition to the Mint being erected on the Observatory Hill, and as they numbered one-third of the population (600,000) of the State, their wishes were entitled to as much consideration as those of the Imperial authorities in regard to the Mint.

Mr. Carruthers: Did you have the 600,000 at the meeting in the Town Hall? (Laughter.)

Mr. Fitzgerald: No; but he claimed that the meeting fairly represented them. This little park was the only lung space a thickly-populated district had, and rather than take that he suggested another site, viz., Darlinghurst Gaol. In all the larger cities in the old country the tendency was to remove gaols into the country. He would like to ask the Premier if there was any immediate necessity for completing the law courts?

Mr. Carruthers: Yes, there is. It is really a matter of urgency. Besides, if we took down Darlinghurst Gaol another gaol would have to be erected somewhere else in the city.

Mr. Fitzgerald thought that some definite efforts should be made to prepare for the growth of the city. He suggested the appointment of some sort of commission that would deal with matters such as the preservation and improvement of the reserves and the beautification of the city generally.

Mr. D. H. Souter and Alderman Meagher also addressed the Minister.

Mr. Carruthers, in reply, said there would be no chimney stack connected with the Mint, as had been stated. The Government had approached the consideration of this matter with an open mind. He had no personal desire to put the Mint there, or anywhere else. His only desire was to make provision for the public requirements, and in doing so to carry out a scheme for the improvement of the city. He quite recognised the sentimental objections to utilising a site such as Observatory Hill for any purpose which would break away from the traditions with which it was associated, or would in any way detract from the public enjoyment of such places. But nothing of the kind would happen in this case. He referred to the vandalism of the City Council erecting an electric station on Lang Park, and their neglect in regard to Prince Alfred and Belmore Parks, and contrariwise pointed out what he had done to beautify the city, and what he intended to do in that direction, in the works he had in hand. As to the Mint, it was a matter of much importance that it should be retained here; but it was necessary that it should be removed to enable him to make some of the improvements which were not only absolutely necessary, but would make the city presentable in that locality. He said that a number of sites had been selected by gentlemen whom he had appointed to choose them. These sites had to comply with certain conditions required by the Imperial authorities, and of those submitted Dawes Point had been unanimously recommended. (Hear, hear.) Mr. Carruthers then submitted the plans of the various sites, and after they had been inspected by the deputation, said that if the Dawes Point would suit the people instead of Observatory Hill he would have it settled that way. However, they could reconsider the matter and deal not only with the sites which he had brought under their notice, but any others which they might think would suit, and having obtained the opinion of the aldermen and citizens, they could let him know the result.

THE MAILS.

THIS DAY.

South Australia.—Overland, 5.30 p.m.
Victoria.—Overland, 5.30 and 7 p.m.
Queensland.—Overland, 3.45 p.m.
Melbourne.—Bombala, 11 a.m.
Hobart (direct).—Westralia, 11 a.m.
Macleay River and Byron Bay, via Newcastle.—Cavanba, noon.
Wellington, etc., N.Z. (direct).—Miowera, noon.
Monte Video, Buenos Ayres, Chili, and Rio Janeiro, from Wellington (N.Z.).—Paparoa, noon.
Nelson's Bay and Tea Gardens.—Hawk, 1 p.m.
Auckland, etc., N.Z.—Niwaru, 3 p.m.
Nambucca Heads and Macksville.—Rocklily, 4 p.m.
Macleay River.—Ramornie, 5 p.m.
Richmond River.—Brundah, 7 p.m.
Clarence River.—Kyogle, 8 p.m.
Delagoa Bay, Durban, East London, and Algoa Bay, via Adelaide.—Bloemfontein, 9.30 p.m.
Western Australia, via Adelaide and Albany.—Kanowna, 9.30 p.m.
Tasmania, via Melbourne.—Loongana, 9.30 p.m.
Strahan, Zeehan, and North-West Coast of Tasmania, via Melbourne.—Flora, 9.30 p.m.

MONDAY.

Manning River.—Rosedale, 1 p.m.
Eden.—Bega, 2 p.m.
Macleay River.—Hastings, 3 p.m.
Port Macquarie.—Pyrmont, 4 p.m.
Port Macquarie.—Wauchope, 5 p.m.
Natal and Capetown, via Melbourne.—Moravian, 7 p.m.
Bellinger River.—Burrawong, 9 p.m.

TUESDAY.

Fiji, Samoa, and Tonga.—Atua, 11 a.m.
Noumea.—Pacifique, noon.
New Hebrides, from Noumea.—Pacifique, noon.
Wardell (R.R.).—Tomki, 1 p.m.
Nelson's Bay and Tea Gardens.—Hawk, 4 p.m.
United Kingdom, Continent of Europe, India, and Mauritius.—Overland to Adelaide, and thence per R.M.S. Victoria, 5.30 p.m.
R.M.S. Victoria (Letters addressed to persons on board).—Overland to Adelaide, 5.30 p.m.
Western Australia, via Adelaide.—R.M.S. Victoria, 5.30 p.m.
Dunedin, etc. (N.Z.), via Melbourne.—Maheno, 5.30 p.m.
Hobart, via Melbourne.—Maheno, 5.30 p.m.

ABSTRACT OF SALES BY AUCTION THIS DAY.

HOUSES AND LAND.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH.—On the Ground, Vaucluse Estate, at 3, Land.
RAINE and HORNE.—On the Ground, Chatswood South, at 3, Land.
A. BLACKWOOD.—On the Ground, Football Club Estate, Granville, at 3, Land.
A. RICHARD and CO.—On the Ground, River View Estate, Chiswick, Land.

FURNITURE AND MERCHANDISE.

J. LEAN.—At 554 Parramatta-road, Leichhardt, at 3, Furniture, etc.
O. I. KEMPTHORNE.—At 190 King-street, at 3, Furniture, Stove, etc.
MIDDLETON and CO.—At 170 George-street West, at 3, Furniture, etc.
A. G. JENKINS.—At the Rooms, at 10.30, Sewing Machine, Mangle, Cutlery, Bed Linen, Furniture, etc.

HORSES, VEHICLES, AND HARNESS.

J. H. BEALE.—At Liverpool, at 11, Horses.
FISHER and CO.—At Camperdown Saleyards, at 2, Horses, Vehicles, and Harness.

FARM AND DAIRY PRODUCE.

WEAVER and PERRY.—At Newmarket Saleyards, St. Marys, at 12.30, Dairy and Store Cattle.
DENT and PERRY.—At Redfern Station, at 9.15, Hay, Straw, Chaff, etc.

MISCELLANEOUS.

DENT and PERRY.—At Newtown, at 7, Wood, etc.; at Darling Harbour, at 8, Wood, etc.
A. BARNETT.—At 212 Rose-street, Darlington, at 3, Building Material, Enamel Bath, etc.

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.—April 26.

Victoria, s, 2909 tons, Captain W. Waller, from Auckland. Passengers:—Mesdames Wilson, Ross, Olding and infant, Drew and child, Mould, De Bergh Perse, Hutchinson, Doble, Curtis, Johnston, Miller, Phillips, Callan, Bath, Vergo and child, Doherty, Woodward, J. M'Peake, Schaef, Cranwell, M'Cullough, Little, Wigg, Phillips, nurse, and child, Misses Hiatt, Mills, Dunn, Callan, Cawkell, Battley, Vickermann, De Bergh Perse, Cranwell, Ryan, Cavandar, Miller; Messrs. Bell, H. T. Walker, Abercrombie, Broad, C. J. Capperton, F. G. Hawthorne, A. G. Watson, H. T. Dunn, H. F. Ewen, B. Mellon, C. Gunson, W. Lawrence, De Bergh Perse, Hutchinson, Doble, C. S. Curtis, Delamain, Doherty, W. Woodward, E. Moore, J. A. Milford, W. A. Robertson, Black, A. F. Ross, K. C. Ross, W. J. Bell, B. Cashmore, H. T. Smith, J. M'Peake, J. G. Smith, J. Butler, Schaef, T. W. Fleming, M. Mew, Greerson, C. H. Johnson, T. Cranwell, S. Cranwell, R. Hobbs, R. G. Varley, Hebblethwaite, Little, J. Wigg, M'Cullough, Major Whitney, and 65 in the steerage. Huddart, Parker, and Co. Proprietary, Limited, agents.

Bielefeld, s, 5104 tons, Captain Baehr, from Hamburg and Antwerp, via Algoa Bay and Melbourne. German-Australian S.S. Company, Limited, agents.

Pak Ling, s, 4614 tons, Captain Rodway, from Glasgow, via Adelaide and Melbourne. Gilchrist, Watt, and Sanderson, Limited, agents.

Merioneth, Italian sh, 1366 tons, Captain Razetto, from Bremen, via Melbourne. W. Scott Fell and Co., Limited, agents.

Tyrian, s, 1455 tons, Captain J. Rowland, from Melbourne. Howard Smith Company, Limited, agents.

Newcastle, s, 1251 tons, Captain Thompson, from Newcastle. Newcastle and Hunter River S.S. Company, Ltd., agents.

Illawarra, s, 522 tons, Captain Swanson, from Bateman's Bay. Illawarra and South Coast S.N. Company, Ltd., agents.

Ramornie, s, 546 tons, Captain Beach, from Macleay River. North Coast S. N. Company, Limited, agents.

Narooma, s, 105 tons, Captain Benson, from Camden Haven. Allen Taylor and Co., Limited, agents.

DEPARTURES.—April 26.

Moravian, s, for London, via Capetown and ports.
Tsinan, s, for Kobe, via Hongkong and ports.
Monaro, s, for Fremantle, via ports.
Warrego, s, for Melbourne.
Northern Chief, bq, for Auckland, via Newcastle.
Chiltonford, four-masted bq, for West Coast, via Newcastle.
Atua, s, for Newcastle.

PROJECTED DEPARTURES.—April 27.

Niwaru, s, for London, via New Zealand ports; Wollowra, s, for Brisbane and ports north to Cairns; Tyrian, s, for Brisbane and northern ports; Mareeba, s, for Brisbane and Rockhampton; Bombala, s, for Melbourne; Westralia, s, for Hobart; Miowera, s, for Wellington and other New Zealand ports; Peterborough, s, for Nowra and Shellharbour; Ramornie, s, for Macleay River; Kyogle, s, for Clarence River; Brundah, s, for Richmond River; Duranbah, s, for Tweed River; Cavanba, s, for Byron Bay, Trial Bay, and Coff's Harbour; Namoi, s, for Newcastle; Hawke, s, for Port Stephens, Bulahdelah, and Booral.

CLEARANCES.—April 26.

Moravian, s, 4573 tons, Captain Simpson, for London, via ports, with passengers as per list published yesterday.

Tsinan, s, 2269 tons, Captain Lindbergh, for Kobe, via ports.

Atua, s, 3444 tons, Captain W. J. Newton, for Suva, via Newcastle.

Chiltonford, bq, 2198 tons, Captain Atkinson, for West Coast, via Newcastle.

IMPORTS.—April 26.

Hawaiian Isles, 4-m bq, from New York, via Melbourne: 94,500 pcs roof slates, 12 crts cots, 50 brls coal oil, 300 kgs nails, 820 rls paper, 50 cs desks, 630 cs glucose, 350 bxs tinplates, 2300 bdls, pcs, and nests piping, 350 cs lamp chimneys, 35 brls rosin, 100 cs s machines, 60 crts tube, 5000 bxs clothes pins, 150 cs hoops, 450 rls b wire, 80 brls pitch, 40 brls tar, 1250 brls plaster, 100 brls oysters, 250 cs handles, 350 cs chairs, 100 cs chair stock, 80 rims, 60 cs school slates, 1000 brls paper bags, 350 crts butter dishes, 200 crts w machines, 178 bdls washboards, 220 cs axle grease, 15 cs pain killer, 50 cs blacking, 30 bgs maddocks, 60 cs axes, 25 crts heaters, 50 cs lamps, 90 cs axles, 220 cs cartridges, 281 cs lanterns, 20 cs choppers, 30 cs rollers, 120 bdls dowels, 60 cs furniture, 140 bdls rims, 60 cs springs, 120 crts wheels, timber, and sundries.

Bombala, s, from Queensland: 30 ½ csks 1150 cs pines, 141 ½ cs oranges, 30 sks potatoes, 20 bgs bacon, 55 bls wool, 1656 bchs bananas, 20 bgs beans, 134 bgs bones, 97 hides, 13 csks tallow, 20 bgs horns, and sundries.

Merioneth, Italian bq, from Bremen, via Melbourne: 45 cs nails, 30 cs pianos, 150 bls strawboard, 30 drms sodium, 17 csks typo soda, 984 bdls pipes, 170 bls and cs paper, 130 pkgs leather board, 30 bls c waste, 70 cs tinware, 20 bls pasteboard, and sundries.

Victoria, s, from Auckland: 616 bgs concentrates, 70 sks pumice sand, 38 cs meats, 95 bls flax, 251 cs potatoes, 25 kgs beef, 4 cs kauri gum, 5 cs seed, 71 sks hides, 2 csks pelts, 6 bls 6 cs woollen, 6 pkgs machinery, 4 cs scales, 16 cs polish, 2674 pcs timber, 14 ammonia tubes, 76 cs frozen schnapper, and large quantity sundries.

Mareeba, s, from Rockhampton and Brisbane, via Newcastle: 521 bls wool, 6380 bgs sugar, 677 pcs pine, 110 cs pine apples, 112 bgs tin ore, 112 sks canary seed, 200 sks coal, 103 bgs stream tin ore, 61 bgs hides, 71 wet hides, 14 dry hides, 17 bls hides, 35 bls skins, 232 bgs bones, 60 empty hhds, 11 csks tallow, 4 bgs horns and skins, 5 bls kangaroo skins, 23 hhds syrup, 10 hhds treacle, 15 hhds molasses, 17 cs travellers' samples, 34 cs mineral waters, 10 csks sulphur, and sundries.

April 27.

Wilcannia, s, from London, via South Africa and ports: 21 cls wire rope, 1125 cs dates, 10 cs chocolate, 30 csks 45 cs paint, 1370 rls netting, 20 cs oatmeal, 2180 kgs white lead, 92 cs screws, 50 bgs ginger, 25 bls strawboard, 125 cs sauce, 80 cs Mellins' food, 45 drs 17 csks oil, 60 brls lub oil, 520 cs cartridges, 60 bls corks, 100 cs sardines, 30 cs olives, 60 cs cocoa, 25 cs vinegar, 10 cs Luc oil, 35 cs paste, 33 cs bolts and nuts, 20 bdls steel sheets, 111 bdls tubes, 50 cs spirits, 10 cs c. butter, 33 cs shoes, 55 cs drug goods, 20 cs naphthaline, 40 cs figs, 900 bgs valonea, 40 quarter-csks 25 cs 20 csks brandy, 80 cs ink, 250 prs wheels and axles, 30 cs boots, 10 drs glue, 140 cs g. iron, 1817 cs c. milk, 26 cs confectionery, 70 kgs studs, 2450 bdls hoops, 40 bls w. paper, 55 quarter-csks whisky, 110 cs gin, 50 cs paper-hangings, 25 bdls shovels, 400 rails, 25 cs meters, 20 cs l. type, 240 slabs and cs marble, 40 cs arms, large quantity general and unspecified merchandise, and sundries.

EXPORTS.—April 26.

Moravian, s, for South Africa and London, via ports: 115 csks pelts, 5500 bgs sugar, 134 csks tallow, 577 bgs antimony ore, 110 bls and trusses leather, 10,627 crcs 600 prs legs mutton, 1377 crts rabbits, 1000 crcs lamb, 25 cs tongues, 70 cs cheese, 117 crcs pork, 230 bls skins, 20 bls horns, 1482 bls wool, 3427 ingots copper, 1399 bxs butter, timber, and sundries.

Tsinan, s, for Manila, Hongkong, China, and Japan, via ports: 50 cs jam, 10 cs butter, 7629 stoneware pipes, 23,100 quarter-bgs flour, 50 sks beche-de-mer, 1184 cs potatoes, 30 bgs horseshoes, 44 bgs bran, 17 bls hoods, 30 bgs bones, 2506 sleepers, 36 cs 70 half-cs fruit, 50 cs apples, 12 cyls ammonia, 1 box coin (valued at £450), timber, and sundries.

Chiltonford, bq, for West Coast, via Newcastle: 597 tons coal, for stiffening.

Customs-house.—Entered outward, April 26: Aldenham, s, for Melbourne; Alabama, s, for Ocean Island; Banffshire, s, for S. Africa and London, via ports; Tambo, s, for New Hebrides, via Lord Howe and Norfolk Islands.

Although running at reduced speed, the steamer Bombala, in charge of Captain R. F. Douton, still continues to maintain her reputation for smart steaming. The Bombala is en route to Melbourne from Townsville, and leaving Brisbane pile light at 4.30 p.m. on Wednesday arrived at Sydney at 12.30 yesterday morning, the trip having been accomplished in 32 hours. Light southerly winds and fine weather with heavy southerly swell were experienced.

The steamer Victoria, of Huddart, Parker, and Co.'s line, arrived at Sydney at 5.30 yesterday afternoon. Captain Waller reports having left Auckland on the 22nd inst. at 6 p.m., and experienced fresh westerly winds with fine weather throughout.

Captain J. Rowland, commander of the Howard Smith liner Tyrian, which arrived here yesterday from Melbourne, reports having encountered a strong south-westerly gale to Wilson's Promontory, and from thence to arrival fine weather prevailed.

A private cable message received yesterday stated that the Blue Funnel liner Geelong, from London bound to Sydney, left Capetown on Thursday last.

MOVEMENTS OF MAIL STEAMERS.

The R.M.S. Ortona leaves Brisbane to-day, and is due in Sydney on Monday morning next, 29th inst. She leaves Sydney for London via ports on Saturday, May 4th, and is due at Melbourne on 6th, Adelaide 9th, Fremantle 13th, Colombo 23rd, Port Said June 5th, Naples 9th, Marseilles 11th, and London 17th.

The R.M.S. Ormuz is due at Adelaide on 29th inst, Melbourne May 1st, and Sydney 4th.

The R.M.S. Oruba is due at Colombo on 29th inst, Fremantle May 9th, Adelaide 13th, Melbourne 15th, and Sydney 18th.

The R.M.S. Orient is due at Naples at 28th inst, Port Said May 2, Colombo 13th, Fremantle 23rd, Adelaide 27th, Melbourne 29th, and Sydney June 1.

The R.M.S. Orontes leaves London for Australia, via ports, on May 17.

The R.M.S. Orotava leaves London for Australia on Friday next, May 3.

The R.M.S. Ophir is due at Marseilles on 28th inst, and London May 4.

The R.M.S. Omrah is due at Port Said on May 8, Naples 12th, Marseilles 14th, and London 20th.

The R.M.S. Oroya is due at Fremantle on 29th inst, Colombo May 9, Port Said 22nd, Naples 26th, Marseilles 28th, and London June 3.

The R.M.S. Britannia, from London, bound to Sydney, left Suez on Thursday last.

The R.M.S. Victoria, from Sydney, bound to London, arrived at Hobart at 11.50 a.m. yesterday.

LADY WOLSELEY SPOKEN.

Our Norfolk Island correspondent writes:—"The Melanesian Missionary steamer Southern Cross reports having on April 9 signalled a barque flying JCQB from Antofogasta to Newcastle. Her position then was lat 29.4 S, long. 168.46 E."

The vessel will probably prove to be the barque Lady Wolseley (JQCB), now 89 days out from Antofagasta, bound to Newcastle.

THE N.D.L. STEAMERS.

The G.M.S. Yorck left Adelaide yesterday, en route from Sydney to Bremen, via Fremantle, Colombo, Aden, Suez, Port Said, Naples, Genoa, Southampton, and Antwerp.

The G.M.S. Bulow was due at Naples yesterday, en route from Sydney to Bremen, via usual ports.

The G.M.S. Bremen arrived in Southampton on 16th inst, three days ahead of time, from Sydney, via usual ports.

The G.M.S. Prinz Heinrich is due at Fremantle today, en route from Bremen to Sydney, via usual ports.

The G.M.S. Kleist leaves Genoa on the 28th inst and Naples on 29th inst for Sydney, via usual ports.

The Prinz Sigismund leaves Melbourne to-day, and Sydney on May 7, for China and Japan, via Brisbane, New Guinea ports, and Manila.

The Prinz Waldemar is due at Manila on the 29th inst, en route from Sydney to Hongkong, via usual ports.

The Manila left Hongkong on the 23th inst for Sydney, via Manila, New Guinea ports, and Brisbane.

The Thuringen was due in Padang yesterday, outward bound. She should reach Sydney about May 15.

The Schwaben left Port Pirie on the 19th inst, homeward bound.

The Franken left Sydney on 24th inst for Bremen, via Melbourne, Port Pirie, and Albany.

THE BAR HARBOURS.

The following reports were received yesterday from the coastal harbours:—South-west Rocks, 11ft 6in on bar at high water, sounding on bar 8ft 6in at high water; Camden Haven Heads, 8ft 6in on bar at high water; Ballina, 14ft on bar, 15ft on inside channel at high water; Cape Hawke, 8ft on bar at high water.

TELEGRAPHIC SHIPPING.

THURSDAY ISLAND (2000 miles).—Dep: April 26, Changsha, s, for Sydney.

COOKTOWN (1550 miles).—Arr: April 26, Wodonga, s, from Brisbane.

CAIRNS (1400 miles).—Arr: April 25, Flensburg, s, from Sydney.

BRISBANE (500 miles).—Arr: April 26, Kumano Maru, J.M.S., from Sydney. Dep: April 26, Bingera, s, for Townsville; Kumano Maru, J.M.S., for Japan.

TOWNSVILLE (1370 miles).—Arr: April 26, Peregrine, s, from Sydney.

BOWEN (1225 miles).—Dep: April 26, Marloo, s, for Brisbane; Barrier, s, for Sydney.

ROCKHAMPTON (920 miles).—Arr: April 26, Bunninyong, s, from Brisbane.

BUNDABERG (717 miles).—Arr: April 26, Flinders, s, from Brisbane.

MARYBOROUGH (680 miles).—Dep: April 26, Chillagoe, s, for Brisbane.

TWEED HEADS (374 miles).—Dep: April 25, Duroby, s, at 7.30 p.m., for Sydney. Passed: April 26, a 2-m. steamer, yellow funnel, at 5.30 p.m., south.

RICHMOND RIVER HEADS (331 miles).—Arr: April 25, Nerong, s, at 5 p.m. April 26, Macleay, s, at 6.15 a.m., both from Sydney.

WOOLGOOLGA (254 miles).—Arr: April 26, Dorrigo, s, at 9 a.m., Cooloon, s, at 2 p.m., both from Sydney. Dep: April 26, Dorrigo, s, at 12.40 p.m., for Coff's Harbour.

BELLINGER (230 miles).—Dep: April 26, Harold, ktch, at 6.15 a.m., Alma Doepel, sch, at 6.30 a.m., Euroka, s, at 7 a.m., all for Sydney.

NAMBUCCA HEADS (223 miles).—Dep: April 26, Myee, s, at 6.30 a.m., Corra Lynn, s, at 5.40 p.m., both for Sydney.

SOUTH-WEST ROCKS (200 miles).—Arr: April 26, Hastings, s, at 4.30 p.m., from Sydney.

SMOKY CAPE (205 miles).—Passed: April 26, Alma Doepel, sch, at 5.20 p.m., Harold, ktch, at 5.20 p.m., both south.

PORT MACQUARIE (174 miles).—Arr: April 26, Trilby, s, at 5.30 a.m., Wauchope, s, at 3.45 p.m., Pyrmont, s, at 4 p.m., all from Sydney. Dep: April 26, Rockliliy, s, at 5.30 p.m., for Sydney.

TACKING POINT (160 miles).—Passed: April 26, City of Grafton, s, at 9.30 a.m., Burrawong, s, at 1.40 p.m., both north; Myee, s, at 3.30 p.m., south.

CAMDEN HAVEN HEADS (159 miles).—Arr: April 26, Ellerslie, s, at 5.56 p.m., from Sydney.

CROWDY HEAD (147 miles).—Passed: April 26, Ellerslie, s, at 3.25 p.m., north; Duranbah, s, at 10.20 a.m., Zelma, ktch, at 3.20 p.m., both south.

MANNING HEADS (144 miles).—Arr: April 26, Kincumber, s, at 6.15 a.m., from Newcastle; Rosedale, s, at 5.15 p.m., from Sydney. Dep: April 26, Kincumber, s, at 5.40 p.m., for Newcastle.

CAPE HAWKE (123 miles).—Dep: April 25, Marion Mayfield, s, during night for Manning River.

PORT STEPHENS (83 miles).—Passed: April 26, Ramornie, s, at 7.15 a.m., Uke Warrigal, ktch, at 10.50 a.m., Friendship, s, at 1.10 p.m., Ladysmith, ktch, at 3.45 p.m., all south.

NEWCASTLE (62 miles).—Arr: April 26, Sphene, s, Namoi, s, Civility, s, Sophia Ann, s, Lubra, s, Offenbach, s, Atua, s, Genista, sh, Wallsend, s, all from Sydney; Paris, sch, from Cape Hawke; Visigoth, s, from Manila. Dep: April 26, Barwon, s, for Melbourne; Ripley, s, Romanoff, bq, both for West Coast; Duckenfield, s, Sphene, s, Wallsend, s, Orange Branch, s, Civility, s, all for Sydney; Age, s, for Port Pirie; Vincent, bq, for the West Coast.

CATHERINE HILL BAY (48 miles).—Dep: April 26, Como, s, daylight, for Adelaide.

SOUTH HEAD (4 miles).—Passed: April 26, Pinmore, 4-mast. ship, at 4 p.m., bound for Newcastle; Age, s, at 4 p.m., south.

WOLLONGONG (44 miles).—Dep: April 26, Timaru, s, at 3 a.m., for Port Kembla; Kooringa, s, at 4 a.m., for Melbourne; Ruakaka, scow, at 10 a.m., for south; Eden, s, at 6.20 p.m., for southern ports.

KIAMA (59 miles).—Dep: April 26, Resolute, s, at 1 a.m., for Sydney.

JERVIS BAY (87 miles).—Dep: April 26, Tyrian, s, at 10.40 a.m., like Alala, s, at 6.30 p.m., both north; a steamer, with black funnel, at 11.20 a.m., Kooringa, s, at 12.30 p.m., both south.

MORUYA HEADS (141 miles).—Dep: April 26, Coomonderry, s, at 5 p.m., for Wagonga.

BERMAGUI (169 miles).—Dep: April 26, Bega, s, at 8.45 a.m., for Tathra.

GREEN CAPE (218 miles).—Passed: April 26, Wilcannia, s, at 12.30 p.m., north.

GABO (238 miles).—Passed: April 26, Junee, s, at 9.40 a.m., Barrabool, s, at 2.34 p.m., Kakapo, 5.45 p.m., all west.

WILSON'S PROMONTORY (426 miles).—Passed inward: April 26, Linda Fell, s, at 2.5 p.m. Passed outward: April 26, Grantala, s, at 11.15 a.m.; Ashridge, s, at 2.45 p.m.

MELBOURNE (576 miles).—Arr: April 26, Aramac, s, Kiandra, s, both from Sydney; Loongana, s, from Launceston; Franken, s, from Bremen, via Sydney; New Guinea, s, and Komura, s, both from Newcastle. Dep: April 26, Relic, sch, for Hobart; Elfreida, German sh, for Falmouth; Hazel Craig, bq, for Newcastle; Loongana, s, for Launceston; Flora, s, for Devonport.

HOBART (648 miles).—Arr: April 25, Moeraki, s, from Melbourne. April 26, Maheno, s, from New Zealand; Victoria, R.M.S., at 11.50 a.m., from Sydney. Dep: April 26, Maheno, s, at 12.5 p.m., for Melbourne; Moeraki, s, at 2.30 p.m., for New Zealand.

DEVONPORT WEST (498 miles).—Arr: April 25, Perth, s, from Melbourne. April 26, Karori, s, at 8.45 a.m., from Sydney.

STRAHAN (Tas.)—Arr: April 26, Kawatiri, s, at 8.10 a.m., from Melbourne.

ADELAIDE (1084 miles).—Arr: April 26, Riverina, s, from the eastern States; Afric, s, from Liverpool; Hobart, s, from Western Australia; Dilkera, s, from Western Australia. Dep: April 26, Yorck, G.M.S., for Bremen; Isleworth, s, for Port Kembla.

PORT WAKEFIELD.—Dep: April 26, Inveranaid, bq, for the United Kingdom.

ALBANY (2100 miles).—Passed: April 26, Ormuz, R.M.S., east.

FREMANTLE (2466 miles).—Dep: April 26, Port Caroline, s, for Antwerp; Vancouver, s, at 4.35 p.m., for the eastern States.

BRITISH AND FOREIGN SHIPPING.

Arrivals.

LONDON, Friday.

Elleric, s, 3570 tons, Captain Findlay, at London, from Geelong Feb. 11, via Durban March 13, with 41,006 bags of wheat.

Marere, s (Tyser line), 6443 tons, Captain Feilgate, at London, from Auckland March 15.

Rangatira, s (Shaw, Savill, and Albion Company's line), 4045 tons, Captain Chudley, at London, from Napier March 2, via Rio Janeiro March 30.

Augsburg, s (German-Australian line), 4907 tons, Captain Paulsen, at Hamburg, from Sydney Feb. 22, via Melbourne Feb. 26, Albany March 5, Cochin March 20, and Suez April 7.

Loch Katrine, British bq, 1200 tons, Captain Anderson, at Queenstown, from Melbourne Jan. 12, with 15,143 bags of wheat.

Departures.

Kasama (American and Australian line), from New York, for Sydney and Brisbane, via Fremantle, Adelaide, and Melbourne.

Avon, British ship, 1438 tons, Captain Fox, from New York, for Sydney, via Melbourne.

Kleist, G.M.S., (Nord-Deutscher Lloyd), 9000 tons, from Southampton, en route from Bremen for Sydney, via ports.

Plauen, s (German-Australian line), from Hamburg, for Sydney, via ports.

Torrisdale, British 4-masted barque, 2184 tons, Captain Duncan, from London, for Adelaide and Melbourne.

Killoran, British bq., 1369 tons, Captain W. Joss, from Liverpool, for Melbourne.

Excelsior, Norwegian bq., 1347 tons, Captain Jensen, from Fredrikstadt, for Adelaide.

Hawkes Bay, s (Tyser United line), 4593 tons, Captain Kemp, from New York, for Sydney and Brisbane, via Fremantle, Adelaide, and Melbourne.

Ennerdale, s, Captain Holm, from London, for New Zealand, via Fremantle.

NEW ZEALAND SHIPPING.

WELLINGTON (1239 miles).—Arr: April 26, Hippolas, bq, from Clarence River; H.M.S. Encounter, from Sydney.

NAPIER (1422 miles).—Arr: April 26, Edward, brig, from Hobart.

PORT CHALMERS (1235 miles).—Arr: April 26, Dalphic, s, from London.

METEOROLOGICAL REPORTS.

Observatory, Friday.

Average rainfall for 48 years, 48.606.
Average for 49 years, Jan. 1 to March 31, 13.372.
Total rainfall from Jan. 1, 1907, to April 26, 14.486.
Total for corresponding period last year, 7.747.
Temperature: Maximum, 68.7; minimum, 49.9; 9 p.m., 50.1.
Barometer: 30.113; 3 p.m., 30.019; 9 p.m., 30.115.
Humidity: 9 a.m., 72; 3 p.m., 52; 9 p.m., 73.

BAROMETER READINGS AT 9 A.M.

Carnarvon, 30.01; Geraldton, 29.94; Perth, 29.85; Esperance Bay, 29.73; Eucla, 29.81; Streaky Bay, 29.90; Adelaide, 30.08; Robe, 30.04; Portland, 29.97; Melbourne, 30.10; Wilson's Promontory, 30.06; Cape St. George, 30.06; Newcastle, 30.15; Port Macquarie, 30.19; Clarence Heads, 30.16; Brisbane, 30.19; Rockhampton, 30.15; Mackay, 30.07; Cooktown, 29.97.

RAINFALL REGISTRATION.

New South Wales (for the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m.)—Gabo Island 1 point.

SCOPE OF RAINFALL.

New South Wales.—One point at Gabo Island only.

Victoria.—Light over southern districts and central ranges.

South Australia.—Very light at a few places over central areas and at isolated places on coast.

Queensland.—Light to moderate near tropic.

SYNOPSIS.

New South Wales (for 24 hours ended 9 a.m.).—Fine weather ruled throughout, only one station reporting rainfall,—i.e., Gabo Island. Frosts occurred at many stations scattered over the highlands last night.

Victoria.—Principally fine but partially cloudy; showery on extreme south-west coast.

Tasmania.—Cloudy to showery generally.

South Australia.—Cloudy on coast, otherwise fine generally.

Queensland.—Fine throughout interior; cloudy along Pacific slope and threatening near tropics.

COASTAL REPORTS AT 6 P.M.

Tweed Heads, E, light, fine, sea smooth; Byron Bay, calm, fine, sea smooth; Ballina, NE, fine, sea smooth; Clarence Heads, NE, light, fine, sea smooth; Woolgoolga, calm, fine, sea smooth; Bellinger Heads, NE, light, fine, sea smooth; Nambucca Heads, NE, light, fine, sea smooth; Port Macquarie, NE, light, fine, sea smooth; Manning Heads, NE, fine, sea smooth; Seal Rocks, NE, light, cloudy, sea smooth; Port Stephens, NE, light, cloudy, sea smooth; Newcastle, E, moderate, fine, sea smooth; Lake Macquarie Heads, SW, light, fine, sea smooth; Catherine Hill Bay, SW, light, fine, sea smooth; South Head, NE, light, fine, sea smooth; Wollongong, NW, light, fine, sea smooth; Kiama, SW, light, fine, sea smooth; Crookhaven Heads, E, light, fine, sea smooth; Jervis Bay, NE, light, fine, sea smooth; Ulladulla, SW, fine, sea smooth; Bateman's Bay, NE, light, fine, sea smooth; Moruya, SE, light, fine, sea smooth; Eden, NE, light, fine, sea smooth; Green Cape, NE, light, fine, sea smooth; Gabo Island, NE, light, cloudy, sea smooth.

FORECASTS AT 9 P.M.

New South Wales.—Fine generally, variable winds, sea breezes on parts of coast during daytime, cold frosty night; a change favouring rainfall is approaching western districts.—A. Noble.

Victoria.—At first generally fine, but unsettled weather developing, chiefly affecting coastal districts; some showers probable later; northerly and northwesterly winds fresh to strong along coast, with rising sea.—P. Baracchi.

South Australia.—Fine and mild, with northerly winds, but barometers falling, and clouds gathering, preceding a change to unsettled squally weather and rain within 48 hours.—R. F. Griffiths.

ASTRONOMICAL MEMORANDA FOR APRIL 27.

Sun rises at 6.26, sets at 5.19; moon, 5.14 p.m., 4.8 a.m.; Mercury, 4.25 a.m., 4.25 p.m.; Venus, 3.30 a.m., 3.48 p.m.; Mars, 9.12 p.m., 11.39 a.m.; Jupiter, 11¼ a.m., 9 p.m.; Saturn, 3.3 a.m., 3.33 p.m.

Full moon, April 28.

High water at Fort Denison, 7.44 a.m., 8.2 p.m.

S.S. CHANGSHA AT THURSDAY ISLAND.

THURSDAY ISLAND, Friday.

The steamer Changsha (Captain Eady) arrived from Hongkong this morning, with the following passengers:—

For Brisbane: Mr. D. Maloney, Captain H. C. Edwards, Pilots Harvey and Lee.

For Sydney: Mesdames Russell, Gibson and child; Messrs Hood, Gibson, Walker, J. H. R. Hance, Wm. M'Donald, and J. Hennessy.

For Melbourne: Messrs. J. Marion, L. W. Lovell, and J. Grant.

MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

STOCKS AND SHARES.

A good volume of investment business was done on the Sydney Stock Exchange yesterday. Most of the sales were at standing rates, but in a few instances variations were observable. N.S.W. Government 4 per cent (1912) sold at 10s higher, while 3½ per cent., due 1921, held to the late rate. Bank of N.S.W. was firm at the current figure, but Union Bank improved 7s 6d. Stocks which the day's trading left in a better position were E.S. and A. inscribed preferred, North Coast Steam, Newcastle and Stockton Coals, and Hydraulic paid.

The following sales were reported:—Morning: New South Wales 4 per cent. Funded Stock (1912), £101 15s; New South Wales 3½ per cent. Funded Stock (1921), £99 5s; Union Bank, £59 17s 6d. Noon: Bank of New South Wales, £51 5s; Union Bank, £59 17s 6d; Australian Gas, £19 2s 6d; Tooheys, Limited, 12s 3d; Sydney Ferries, 57s 6d; Harrison, Jones, and Devlin, 20s, paid 26s 6d; Newcastle Steam, 24s 3d. Afternoon: Union Bank, £59 17s 6d; A.J.S. B deposits, 15s 5½d.

Closing quotations were:—

Company.	Capital Paid up.	Amount of Share.	Shares Paid Up.	Last Div. per annum.	Prices.			Yield to Investor.
					Last Sale.	Buyer.	Seller.	
G. STOCK.					£	£	£	p.c.
N.S.W.F.S. due 1912	4,000,769	...	...	4	99	...	100	[illegible]
Do., due 1912	1,250,175	...	...	3½	99¼	...	100	3½
Do., due 1912	7,849,850	...	...	4	101½	101½	102	3½
Do., due 1924-3	...	...	...	3	92	88	...	3¼
Do., due 1915	...	...	...	3½	99¼	99½	...	3½
Do., due 1921	...	...	...	3½	99½	99	99½	...
Do., Act 1878	850,189	...	...	4	107	110	113	3¾
Do., 4 p.c., due [illegible]	858,336	...	...	4	100¾	99½	...	3¾
Do., due 1920	...	...	...	4	100½	100	101	4
Do., Deb. 1908	...	...	...	4	...	100	...	4
Do., T. Bills, 1901	1,100,200	...	...	3½	100	99½	...	3½
Ditto	208,000	...	...	4	100½	99½	...	3¾
N.E. do., 1909	300,000	...	...	4	104	101½	103	3¾
N.E. Deb., 1915	...	...	...	4	...	100½	...	...
Do., 1921	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...
Queens. deb., 1913	...	...	...	4	99¼	101½	...	4
Do. Tr. Bills	850,000	...	...	4	102	102	...	3¾
W.A. Inscr.	...	...	...	4	101/1/6	100¾	...	3¾
Austrln. Gas Deb., 1922	200,000	...	...	4	102	101	...	3¾
City Sydney Deb.	226,000	...	...	4	102	102	...	3¾
Do., 1928	100,000	...	...	4	102	103	...	3¾
Col. Sugar D. 1914	...	...	...	5	108	106	...	4½
Cl'f'rce. deb.	...	...	...	...	...	92	...	...
BANKS.								
Aust. J. S.	194,328	8½	1	...	...	...	...	...
Aust'lasia	1,600,000	40	40	12	104	102	105	4¾
City	240,000	10	8	9½	71/	70/	71/	5¾
New	168,000	10	8	2½	68/	67/6	69/	3¾
Commercial of Aust.	44,882	10	10	...	15/6	15/	16/	...
Ditto, pref.	2,117,290	10	10	8	6/5/	4½	...	4¾
Com. Syd.	1,000,000	25	12½	10	29¼	29	30¼	...
E. of Aust.	1,202,440	8	5	4	95	100/	...	...
Ditto, pref.	708,780	10	10	5	11/7/	11¼	...	4¼
N.S.W.	2,000,000	20	20	10	51½	51½	51¾	...
N. Zealand	457,310	6½	3½	5	18	9¾	...	...
N. Queensl'd	100,000	7	...	...	21/	22/	...	...
Q'land Nat.	413,000	5	3	...	25/	23	...	...
Royal Q.	487,513	9	5½	5	85/net	...	18/	4
Union	1,500,000	75	25	12	59¾	59¾	60¾	4¾
DEPOSITS.								
A.J.S. Bk.—Class B	...	...	...	3	15/5½	15/4	15/7	4
Ditto, 1912	...	...	...	...	...	17/	18/	...
Class B, 1917	...	...	...	...	15/11	15/1	15/8	...
Do., Insc.	788,033	...	...	3¾	13/6	13/	14/	6¼
Com. of Aus. Assets	3,354,903	...	...	3	17/8	17/6	...	4
E.S.A. Insc. pref.	669,419	...	...	3	18/3	18/	18/4	4¾
Do., Def.	858,758	...	...	4½	9	18/9	19/6	5¾
Do., Deb.	985,547	...	...	...	18/9	18/6	19/	4½
Q. Nat.*	3,116,621	...	...	3½	17/11	16/9	17/3	4½
STEAM.								
Bal. Ferry	30,000	1	1	15	28/	37/6	38/6	4
Illawarra	49,737	1	15/	7	25/	24/	...	4¼
How'd Smith 20s paid	250,000	20/	20/	10	34/	33/6	34/	5¾
Do., 6s pd.	...	...	...	...	7/	15/	...	...
Pref. 20s paid	...	20	20/	5	20/8	21/	21/	4¾
Ditto, 5s pd.	...	...	...	...	5/3	5/3	...	...
Newcastle	100,000	1	1	6	24/8	24/	24/6	4¾
N'th Coast	151,250	1	17/6	8	25/3	25/3	25/9	5¾
Do., new	...	...	16/	...	21/6	21/6	...	...
Syd. Ferries	160,000	1	1	10	57/6	57/6	...	...
Ditto, new	...	...	10/	...	50/	45/	51/6	3¾
Pt. Jackson	25,000	20	20/	10	92/6	98/	101/	3
Ditto, deb.	8,745	1	1	5	20/	33/	...	...
INSUR'NCE.								
A. M. Fire	62,500	1	12/6	14½	48/	43/	48/	4¾
Mer. Mut.	40,000	1	6/	18	17/	16/6	17/9	4
New Zealand	750,000	10	2	15	81/6	80/	92/6	7
N. Q'land	50,000	1	10/	8	20/	16/	...	...
United	85,000	...	2½	12½	5/16/3	5½	5¾	4
Col. Mut. Fire	100,000	1	20/	20½	48/9	47/6	...	...
COAL.								
Bellambi ††	178,000	1	1	15	50/	50/	...	6
East Greta	150,000	1	1	5	20/8	24/	25/	4½
South Greta	9,000	10/	10/	...	9/6	9/6	11/	...
Ditto, con.	16,000	10/	7/6	...	8/	7/3	7/9	...
Ned'n Greta	42,550	1	1	...	...	6/	...	...
Hetton	128,665	5	...	6	35/	32/6	...	...
Newcastle	100,000	11	10	...	9/3/	7	7½	17¾
Stockton	92,631	1	1	...	4/	3/6	3/8	13
Ditto, new	...	...	16/	4	1s net	...	1d	7½
V. of C'tss.	80,000	1	1	10	30/	...	30/6	6
Wallsend	40,000	10	4	+10/	23½	22¾	23¼	7¼
Waratah	...	...	...	1/	7	7/	...	3
Wickham & Bullock Is.	104,945	1	1	...	4/3	4/4	...	...
New	...	1	12/	...	...	3/	...	...
Preferential	...	1	20/	...	8/	12/3	17/	...
North Bulli	100,000	...	20/	...	12/6	10/	12/	...
GAS.								
Albury	7,500	1	17/6	10	22/	21/	...	5
Australian	750,000	6	6	15	19¼	19¼	19½	4¾
Ditto, New	...	6	3	15	11¼	10¼	11¼	4
Char. Towers	30,000	1	10/	10	14/8	13/6	14/3	4½
Goulburn	10,000	1	1	15	37/6	58/	59/	5½
Grafton	8,000	1	1	...	30/1½	30/	...	5½
Katoomba & Leura, paid	7,734	1	20/	...	20/3	19/9	20/3	...
Maitland	15,000	1	5	...	...	6½	...	5¾
Manly	10,000	1	1	8	31/	31/3	...	5½
Ditto, New	7,500	1	15/	8	26/	28/	...	4
Mudgee	8,000	1	1	7	28/	22/6	24/	6½
Newcastle	45,000	2	2	12	6½	6¾	...	4½
Nth. Shore	150,000	1	1	7	40/	...	40/6	3½
BR'W'RIES.								
C. & Wood Bros.	250,000	1	1	4	11/3	10/6	12/	8
Perkins' ††	100,000	15/	15/	21½	34/6	34/	...	9¼
Toohey's ††	400,000	16/	16/	5	12/3	12/	12/3	6½
Tooth's	800,000	1	1	8	33/6	33/	...	4¾
MISCEL'N'S.								
Aarons'	17,500	15	10	5	2/3	2/2	2/6	22½
Aust. News.	40,000	1	...	...	16/3	16/3	16/9	...
E. H. W. Sup. ††	285,000	1	1	4/6	19/3	19/6	21/	9¼
Burns, Philp	250,000	1	1	8	40/	40/	42/	4
New Issue	35,000	1	10/	8	20/	19/9	...	...
Brooks & Co.	...	...	...	...	...	19/	22/	...
Do., pref.	...	...	...	...	...	20/	22/	...
Col. Sugar	2,095,280	20	20	10	42½	42½	42¾	4¾
Dalgety and Co.	1,000,000	20	5	7	6/16/6	6¾	...	5¼
DunlopPneu. Tyre, pref.	80,000	1	1	7	19/6	...	21/	7¼
Emu P. Rail.	...	...	...	...	4/10/	4/	...	...
Ditto pref.	...	...	...	...	...	11/	...	...
Emu & Pros. Gravel	27,200	1	16	7	8/9	7/	8/6	16½
Goodlet and Smith ††	165,000	15/	15/	8	14/	...	15/	6¾
Mel. Trms.	480,000	1	10	12½	28/6	...	25/	4¾
M. de Piete	74,819	1	1	10	29/	37/	39/	5¾
Mort's Dock	200,000	1	1	8	16/9	16/6	...	7¼
Ditto, pref.	45,301	1	1	7	21/6	21/6	22/3	6¼
P. Prod. Ice	91,280	12/	10/	8	13/	13/	13/3	6¾
Prm. Trst.	25,000	5	2/6	10	5/5	5/4	...	4½
Perp. Tst.	25,000	10	5/	10	12/9	...	13/	3¾
Richardson & Wrench	60,000	1	1	5	14/	13/	...	7¼
Shale & Oil	...	...	...	...	7/1	...	...	...
Sdy. Tramst	107,500	1	1	20	102/6	102/6	105/	6
Syd. Exch.	20,000	10	10	6	12½	12	...	4¾
Syd. Hyd.	75,000	1	1	10	22/	34/	36/	5½
Ditto††	37,500	1	10/	10	16/9	16/6	17/	6¼
Ditto Hyd. & G. P.	22,500	1	15/	15	29/6	28/	...	7½
Syd. Cyclorama	20,000	1	20/	...	...	15/	18/	...
Strand Elec.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Vol. Land Or.	15,000	...	...	...	120	...	...	...
W. H. Soul, Patt. & Co. ††	120,000	1	1	10	41/	40/6	...	4¾
T. M. Hall	6,000	...	20/	...	...	1	...	...
Ditto, pref.	2,700	...	20	...	...	16/	...	...
Hotel Metropole	75,000	...	20/	8	20/3	...	20/3	5¼
Ditto, pref.	17,507	...	20/	6	...	26/	...	...
ZincCorp'atn	50,000	1	20/	...	...	...	25/	...
Q'sland Meat Ex. & Ag'y	...	...	...	...	...	13/	...	...
Ditto, new	...	...	...	...	12/	9/	...	...
Paul & Gray	68,880	1	20/	12½	25/6	25/3	26/	10
Pitt, Son, & B.	50,000	1	16/	...	...	12/	15/	...
LAND & BD.								
Com. B. & I.	...	...	...	...	2/6	2/	4/	...
Excels. Dep.	...	...	...	...	...	9/	...	...
[illegible]	...	...	...	...	...	21/	...	...
Ind. Prov.	45,580	20	...	6	19	20	...	...
Intern. In'res.	27,525	1	15/	10	31/	...	30/	4½
News. B. & I.	...	...	...	6	19/	...	...	...
Syd. Prov. L.	17,500	7/	...	...	8/6	3/	...	6
Syd.&Sub.Dp.	...	...	...	...	...	...	7/	...

* Where dividends are interim the yield is based on a year's distribution, otherwise on the last half-yearly one. † Per share. †† Ex dividend. ** Ex interim. ‡ Call paid.

INTERSTATE EXCHANGES.

ADELAIDE, Friday.

To-day's sales and quotations were:—Stannary Hills Debentures, £16, b £16, s £16 10s; Melbourne Trams, b 34s 3d, s 34s 9d; Zinc Corporation, b 16s 6d, s 17s 3d.

BRISBANE, Friday.

To-day's sales and quotations were:—Queensland Exploration, 46s, b 46s, s 49s; ditto (forward), b 46s, s 50s; Queensland Trustee, b 6s, s 6s 3d; Q. N. Bank, b 25s, s 28s; ditto, Inscribed Stock, b 16s 10d, s 17s 9d.

MELBOURNE, Friday.

To-day's Exchange sales were:—Victorian 4 per cent. Stock, 1923, £103; ditto 3½ per cent. Stock, £100; W.A. 4 per cent. Stock, £101 10s; Commercial Bank, 15s 6d; Metropolitan Gas, £10 7s; Colonial Mutual Insurance, 48s 6d; Melbourne Trams, 34s 9d, 34s 7½d; Silverton Trams, £5 4s; Kauri Timber, 7s 10d, 8s, 7s 9d.

FINANCIAL.

TOOTH AND CO., LTD.

The 38th half-yearly report of Tooth and Co., Ltd., of the Kent Brewery, Sydney, for the six months ended March 31 last, shows that, including the balance brought forward, and after providing for bad and doubtful debts and depreciation, the amount at credit of profit and loss is £67,843 18s 11d. The directors recommend a dividend at the rate of 8 per cent. per annum, absorbing £36,000, adding £5000 to the reserve for equalisation of dividends, and £5000 to depreciation of plant and machinery, leaving £21,843 18s 11d to be carried forward. The principal figures of the balance sheet compare with those for the corresponding half of 1906 as follow:—

	Half-year ended March 31.	
	1906.	1907.
Net profits	£51,532	£67,844
Dividend per cent. per annum	8	8
Amount of dividend	£36,000	£36,000
To equalisation of dividends	5,000	5,000
To depreciation of plant, etc.	5,000	5,000
Forward	20,402	21,844
Capital paid up	900,000	900,000
Reserve fund	100,000	100,000
Equalisation of dividends	50,000	70,000
Plant, goodwill, etc.	631,157	604,932
Government stock and bank balances	191,979	215,399
Sundry debtors	236,783	234,682
Expenses of management	86,297	96,406

LONDON FINANCIAL CABLE NEWS.

It was thought in some well-informed quarters that when the Bank of England rate of discount was reduced a little over a fortnight ago from 5 to 4½ per cent. it would be followed by a further fall to 4 per cent. The anticipation has proved correct, and the lower rate demonstrates that the strain on the market, due in part to the heavy withdrawals of gold by America, has practically disappeared. It should not be overlooked, however, that frequently in the past from the middle of April onwards the London money market has shown a much easier feeling. The open market rate of discount, according to our cable, has come down with another run, being quoted at 3 1-16 per cent., a fall of 7-16 on the week, and 15-16 below the bank rate. The Bank of England has again slightly improved its position during the week, the proportion of reserves to liabilities now standing at 45.32 per cent., as against 44.65 per cent. a week ago. Consols have declined ⅝, Victorian 3½'s 1, and several other Australian securities show minor fluctuations. Bradford tops are dull, and quotations, with the exception of super 60's, ¼d lower. The wheat markets continue firm, with further heavy sales of Australian cargoes. Butter is very dull at nominally unchanged prices. In metals, copper has risen £3 10s per ton on the week, tin £6 15s, while piglead is 5s easier. Pigiron, in the space of three weeks, has advanced 4s 3d per ton.

LONDON FINANCIAL CABLES.

LONDON, April 26.

The Bank of England reserves in notes and gold are £25,905,000, as against £25,791,000 last week, and £22,847,000 last year. The proportion of reserves to liabilities is 45.32 as against 44.65 last week, and 39.32 last year. The circulation is £29,737,000, as against £28,550,000 last week, and £28,705,000 last year.

ISSUE DEPARTMENT.

Notes issued	£53,468,000	Government securities	£11,015,000
		Other securities	7,434,000
		Gold and Silver coin	35,019,000
	£53,468,000		£53,468,000

BANKING DEPARTMENT.

Proprietors' capital	£14,553,000	Government securities	£15,221,000
Public deposits	8,913,000	Other securities	33,732,000
Other deposits	48,150,000	Notes	23,731,000
Rest, seven days' and other bills	3,342,000	Gold and Silver coin	2,174,000
	£74,958,000		£74,958,000

MONEY MARKET.

The Bank of England rate of discount is now 4 per cent., to which rate it was reduced on April 25 from 4½ per cent. The open market rate of discount for best three months' bills is 7-16 lower at 3 1-10 per cent.

CONSOLS AND AUSTRALIAN STOCKS.

Current quotations for Consols and Australian Government stocks, compared with those of last week and the corresponding week of last year, are:—

	A Year Ago.	A Week Ago.	Yesterday.	Rise or Fall.
2½ per cent. Consols	90¾	86½	85½	⅝ fall
N.S.W. 4's, 1933, Jan.-July	110½	108	108	Unch.
N.S.W. 3½'s, 1918, Mar.-Sept.	100	98	98	Unch.
N.S.W. 3's, 1935, April-Oct.	89½	87	87	Unch.
Vict. 4's, 1920, Jan.-July	104	102½	103	½ rise
Vict. 3½'s, 1921-6, Jan.-July	101	100	99	1 fall
Vict. 3's, 1929-49, Jan.-July	90½	88	88	Unch.
S.A. 3½'s, 1939, June-Dec.	102	100	100	Unch.
S.A. 3's, 1916, Jan.-July	88½	87	87	Unch.
Q'land 4's, 1915-24, Jan.-July	108	105	105	Unch.
Q'land 3½'s, 1924-1930, Jan.-July	101	98½	98	½ fall
Q'land 3's, 1922-47, Jan.-July	89	87	87	Unch.
N.Z. 4's, 1929, May-Nov.	108	105	104½	½ fall
N.Z. 3½'s, 1940, Jan.-July	101½	100	99½	½ fall
N.Z. 3's, 1945, April-Oct.	90	87	86½	½ fall
Tas. 3½'s, 1920-40, Jan.-July	100½	99	99	Unch.
Tas. 3's, 1920-40, Jan.-July	89	88	88	Unch.
W.A. 3½'s, 1915-35, May-Nov.	99½	95½	95½	Unch.
W.A. 3's, 1915-35, May-Nov.	88	85	85	Unch.

COMMERCIAL.

A satisfactory turnover was reported in the general distributing trade yesterday, merchants stating that the week's business displayed considerable expansion. The demand, however, was practically confined to ordinary requirements, no speculative business, except in cornsacks, being recorded. Ceylon teas were placed in fairly large quantities, apart from good clearances at the auction. General grocery lines were in active request, with prices firmly sustained. The demand for oils was quiet, at late rates. The jute market was sensitive, holders of cornsacks and woolpacks refusing to entertain business at the previous day's prices. Metals were without feature. Wheat was again firmer.

BREADSTUFFS.

The local wheat market continued to show firmness, and, whereas on the previous day holders were willing to sell at 3s 4d per bushel, yesterday found them practically all asking higher money. Buyers for the most part remained at the 3s 3½d level, though a few purchases were reported to have been made at 3s 4d. There was very little wheat offering, and, on account of the improved market in London, holders were inclined to reserve their stocks. The steamer Ouraka went alongside Darling Island yesterday to load about 10,000 bags for Queensland. Otherwise shipping operations were quiet. Our cables show that further heavy sales of Australian wheat have been made in London, at prices indicating continued improvement in the market. Fourteen cargoes have been placed, of which five were loaded in Sydney, and the whole represents nearly 1½ million bushels wheat. A Sydney shipment in March and one this month have realised 31s 1½d, while another April cargo has brought 31s 3d. For June-July loading the enhanced rate of 31s 9d per 480lb c.f.i. has been paid.

The demand for flour was steady, and quotations remained practically unaltered. City millers quote £7 15s, while country makes were available at £7 5s to £7 7s 6d. Good export inquiries for quartersacks were on the market.

At Darling Harbour yesterday 868 tons of wheat and 162 tons of flour were manifested to arrive.

GENERAL MERCHANDISE.

Sugar.—Business continued of ordinary proportions, at unaltered rates. The Colonial Sugar Refining Company, Limited, quote:—No. 1B (brewers' crystals), £20 10s; No. 1X. (confectioners' crystals), £20; No. 1A (dried—for table use), £19 10s; No. 1 (I.W.), £19 10s; No. 2 (I.C.), £19 5s; and No. 3, £17 5s; tablets, in 56lb boxes, £24 per ton; icing and caster sugar, in 56lb bags, £24 10s; coffee crystals, in 70lb bags, £22 10s. One and two years ago the price for I.C. sugar was £21 5s per ton and £23 15s respectively.

The Millaquin and Yengarie Sugar Company quote £19 10s for Millaquin 1A, £19 5s for No. 1 and A.X. soft, and £19 for B.X. soft.

The bonded stocks of sugar continue to steadily diminish, although much higher than in preceding years, as the following comparison indicates:—

	Imptd.	Duty paid.	Exptd.	In Bond.
March 22	24	958	778	46,131
March 28	158	928	303	45,069
April 5	—	901	203	43,804
April 12	78	1,102	200	42,643
April 19	82	995	507	41,223
April 26	60	1,087	663	39,541

A year ago the sugar in bond was 25,103 tons, and two years ago 21,287 tons.

Tea.—In Ceylons 200 packages were sold at up to 10d, and parcels of Indians and Ceylons aggregating 320 packages, were placed at from 8½d to 1s. Of the latter parcel, Ceylons brought 8½d to 9d, and the Indians from 8½d to 1s.

Messrs. H. W. Carey and Co. report having offered at auction yesterday afternoon 820 packages Ceylon and Indian teas, under instructions from Messrs. Gibbs, Bright, and Co. They cleared 300 packages at well-sustained prices. Biddings for the withdrawn lots were not up to vendor's limits, but further business was pending after the sale. Clean, common, dusty Ceylon broken pekoes realised 7½d to 8d per lb, and better kinds up to 9d per lb; common Indian pekoe souchongs up to 7½d per lb, and Darjeeling broken orange pekoe, 10½d per lb.

Tea Auctions.—Messrs. H. W. Carey and Co. announce another auction on Friday next, at 18 Bridge-street, of 736 Ceylons and 204 Indians, on account of Messrs. Scott, Henderson, and Co., as advertised.

Groceries.—An active week in the distributing trade for all grocery lines was reported, the turnover being considerably in excess of the late average. Prices remained firm. In fruits sales aggregating 100 half-cases currants were reported at 5½d, and 200 boxes dates sold at 2½d, 25 boxes S grade apricots at 10½d, 25 ditto S. peaches at 11½d, 25 ditto S. pears at 10d, and 50 boxes Tasmanian evaporated apples at 7d in bulk, and 25 boxes in 1lb packets at 8d. In gold medal milk 750 cases were placed at 6s for 25 case lots, and 6s 1½d for smaller quantities. Ginger was scarce, and firm at 8d, while 1 ton of desiccated cocoanut was taken at 7½d. Nixey's black lead was in request, 200 boxes being placed to arrive, the distributing price being 5s 9d. Van Houten's cocoa was in request, and, in view of the arrival of a good consignment, parcels could be obtained at 3s 1d, a penny less than was quoted on the previous day. Canary seed was cabled out as being firm, and all cheap parcels were readily taken up. Stocks of C and B's bloater and anchovy pastes, also Morton's castor oil were scarce.

Metals.—The country demand continued fairly good for fencing wires, sales being reported of 20 tons each of No. 8 and No. 10 German black at £8 15s and £9 5s respectively, while 15 tons each of American of the same gauges realised £9 10s and £10. Barbed wire was in request, truck lots selling for the country on the basis of £14 12s 6d for 12-gauge, and £15 12s 6d for 14-gauge. In wire-netting a parcel of BBB, 42 x 1½ x 17, was placed at £37 10s. Parcels of g.c. iron were sold at the recent improved levels. Orb. at £19 15s and Redcliffe at £19 5s per ton.

W. C. DOUGLAS, Wholesale Grocer, 53 and 55 Liverpool-street.
Sole Agents wholesale for A.B.C. Tea, Lead Packets. Sold by all Grocers.—Advt.

Oils.—The market was quiet, and prices remained without variation. Small distributing sales were reported in the well-known brands of linseed oil on the basis of 3s 1d and 3s 3d for R. and S.'s raw and boiled respectively, other brands going at 1d less. A Glasgow cable quoted Thistle linseed oil unchanged at 1s 9½d f.o.b. for raw. Castor oil was dull at 3s 5d per gallon. Champion's whitelead was steady at £32. The Colonial Oil Company quote Snowflake kerosene, ex store Sydney and Newcastle, at 10½d per gallon; Pratt's turpentine to arrive ex steamer Frankdale, at 4s 2½d per gallon, c.i.f.e., Sydney; benzine, 1s 2d per gallon, naphtha, 1s 5d per gallon; motor car spirit, 1s 5d per gallon; kerosene for oil engines, 8d gallon. The British Imperial Oil Company, Limited, quote Silverlight kerosene 9½d, benzine 1s 2d, naphtha 1s 5d, motor car spirit 1s 5d, gasolene 1s 11d.

Jute.—Further movement took place in cornsacks and woolpacks. Cables from Calcutta reported a continuance of business, with a slight advance in both fabrics. One cable gave the price of cornsacks at 7s 8½d c.i.f. Another firm had the quotation supplied at 7s 10½d c.i.f. In the early part of the day several hundred bales of cornsacks for season's delivery were reported to have been sold locally at 7s 10½d and 7s 11d, but at the close sellers would not quote less than 8s. Sacks, on spot, were firm at 7s 8d. Four jute firms would not quote less than 3s 3d for season's woolpacks. Sales could, however, have been effected at 3s 1d and up to 3s 2d. Old woolpacks sold again on spot at 2s 10d, with holders asking more money at the close of the day. Branbags were nominally quoted at 5s 9½d to 5s 10d.

Fibre.—Seven tons were sold. The spot market was stated to be firm at £8 10s.

The Sydney Meat-Preserving Co., Ltd., report the following sales this week, viz., local and interstate, 279 cases assorted meats, etc., at convention and export prices.

The Customs revenue received at Sydney yesterday amounted to £10,993.

At Darling Harbour yesterday 59 bales of wool were manifested to arrive by rail.

LONDON MARKET CABLES.

WHEAT IN STRONG DEMAND.
HEAVY SALES OF AUSTRALIAN.

LONDON, April 26.

Despite the heavy shipments to Europe, the wheat markets continue firm, owing to damage to the crops in America and Germany, and the strong Continental demand for cargoes.

The following additional sales of Australian wheat are reported:—

28,550 bags in the Celtic Race, which left Sydney on February 6, at 30s 9d per 480lb, c.i.f.

26,449 bags in the Boncbamps, which left Sydney on January 30, at 30s 9d (re sale).

24,013 bags in the Serena, which left Melbourne on February 4, at 30s 10½d.

21,376 bags in the General Neumayer, which left South Australia on January 26, at 30s 10½d.

27,145 bags in the Beacon Rock, which left South Australia on January 27, at 30s 10½d.

25,970 bags in the La Bruyere, which left Melbourne on February 24, at 31s.

15,000 quarters Victorian wheat, end of March shipment, at 31s.

18,052 bags on the Cockermouth, which left Sydney on March 19, at 31s 1½d.

About 25,000 bags, loading in the Rancagua, at Sydney, at 31s 1½d.

50,514 bags, on the Samaritan, which left Melbourne on March 30, at 31s 3d.

Cargo to be loaded in the Clyde at 31s 3d.

18,683 bags in the Obotrita, which left Sydney on April 18, at 31s 3d.

Cargo to be loaded in the Eaglecrag at 31s 9d.

14,000 quarters, Victorian June-July shipment, at 31s 9d.

Australian wheat on spot is in better request at 32s 6d to 33s per quarter. No New Zealand wheat is offering.

Flour is slightly firmer, but there is little selling. Australian brands are quoted in London at 21s 9d to 22s 6d per 280lb.

Wheat freights are steady. A South Australian fixture has been made at 23s 6d, and one for Victorian loading at 22s 6d per ton.

BUTTER VERY DULL.
LARGE SHIPMENT DAMAGED.

The butter market continues very dull, and prices are nominally unchanged, Danish being quoted at 101s to 102s, choicest New Zealand at 98s, choicest Australian at 94s to 96s, with unsalted at 98s per cwt.

Seven thousand boxes of the Orotava's shipment, chiefly from Queensland and New South Wales, butter, is very badly tainted, and the consignees believe it is due to bilge water. The Underwriters' surveyors are exhaustively inquiring into the causes of the damage, and samples are being analysed in order to see whether the butter is fit for human consumption.

BRADFORD TOPS.

Business in "tops" at Bradford is dull, waiting for the opening of the London market. Super 60's are unchanged at 27½d, common 60's are ½d lower at 26½d, 46's ½d weaker at 17½d, and 40's also ½d easier at 17d.

METALS.

Copper, on spot, b £101 10s, s £101 15s, a rise on the week of £3 10s per ton; three months, b £100 15s, s £101, a rise of £2 15s per ton.

Tin, on spot, b £191 15s, s £192 5s, an advance of £6 15s on the week; three months, b £189, s £189 10s, an advance of £5 15s per ton.

Lead, soft foreign, is 5s lower on the week at £19 12s 6d to £19 17s 6d per ton.

Pig-iron is 2s 5d higher on the week, at £2 17s 8d per ton.

Spelter is 7s 6d higher on the week, at £25 17s 6d to £26 per ton.

SUGAR QUIET.

The sugar market is quiet. Eighty-eight per cent. German beet is unchanged at 9s 5d per cwt, and granulated at 11s 1d, f.o.b. Hamburg.

LONDON MEAT MARKET.

Dalgety and Co., Limited, are in receipt of the following cable message from their London house, under date of the 25th inst:—

"Since our telegram of the 18th inst prices for frozen mutton have weakened. There is an unchanged market for frozen lamb. Rates for beef (forequarters) are rather higher."

INTERSTATE MARKETS.

BRISBANE, Friday.

To-day chaff, lucerne, realised to 5s 3d; lucerne hay, 4s 2d; maize, 2s 8d; potatoes, 4s 7d; pumpkins, 2s 1d; chickwheat, 2s 9½d; eggs, 1s 0½d to 1s 6d; butter, 7½d to 8½d.

MELBOURNE, Friday.

Wheat to-day was steady but less active at 3s 3½d to 3s 4d. Flour was quiet at £7 10s; bran, 10½d to 11d; and pollard firm at 10½d. Algerian oats were firmer. Milling, 2s 2½d to 2s 3d, feed, 2s to 2s 1½d; seed up to 2s 4d. Nearly 2700 bags were sold at 2s 1d to 2s 3½d. Maize was firmer, about 300 bags being sold at 2s 8d. Peas, 3s 6½d to 3s 7d; chaff, 55s to 62s 6d. Potatoes were steady; Gippsland, 55s to 60s; Reds up to 50s; Pinkeye to 42s 6d. Onions were quiet at 41s 6d to 52s 6d. Choice western butter was steady at 1s 0½d to 1s 2d; other prime to choice rather weak at 1s to 1s 0½d. Eggs were steady at 1s 2d to 1s 4d.

About 200 packages of Ceylon tea were sold up to 9½d. Ten cases of figs for export; 20 sacks of soft-shell almonds at 6½d; 250 cases of Skeena River salmon, for export; and 50 bales of kapok, were sold.

Fair business was done in cornsacks, on spot, at 7s 9d, and holders now ask 8s forward; business was done at 7s 10d delivered. Branbags were worth 6s on spot and ex Gracchus. Fair business was done in galvanised wire. Linseed oil and whitelead were in good demand.

MELBOURNE FRUIT MARKET.

MELBOURNE, Friday.

In the Western Market to-day local apples, eating, realised 2s 6d to 5s case, cooking 1s 3d to 2s; peaches, 7s to 8s; crates, 2s to 2s 6d tray; grapes, 2s to 6s 6d case; plums, 1s 6d to 2s 6d; figs, 5s to 7s; pears, dessert, 3s to 5s; quinces, 1s to 1s 6d; tomatoes, 1s 6d to 2s 6d; New South Wales passionfruit, 5s to 6s case; Queensland oranges, 7s to 8s; pineapples, 6s to 7s double-case; bananas, 4s to 5s bunch; Italian oranges, 16s to 18s double-case; lemons, 11s to 13s.

BRISBANE WOOL SALES.

BRISBANE, Friday.

The ninth wool sale of the winter series was held to-day. There was a large and representative gathering, and 7929 bales were catalogued. Competition was keen. The market was firm for all grades of greasy. The highest prices were:—Greasy, 12½d; scoured, 24d.

Dalgety and Co. report they offered 3400 bales, including Oakwood, Augathella, Cullinringo, Springsure, for the first time in the local market. Greasy realised to 12½d for Broadmead, Darling Downs; 12d Oakwood, Augathella; 11½d Cullinaringo; 10½d Elmina, Charleville; 9½d Boorara, Hungerford. Of the scoured 23½d was got for Boongavinna and Eureka, Longreach district.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

TRADE IN SUSSEX-STREET.

Despite the advanced state of the month, a healthy atmosphere pervaded the Sussex-street markets yesterday morning, and the turnover was of goodly proportions. Buyers congregated in large numbers at nearly all the chief centres of the trade, and displayed freedom in their dealings, although there was little speculation. Business, however, was not productive of any features worthy of much mention, clearances being generally effected at well-maintained rates.

Twenty-eight trucks were treated under the hammer at the Sydney goods sheds. Competition was vigorous, and a large percentage of the offerings found disposal.

The maize market remained unsettled at irregular prices. Firmness characterised the oat market, stocks appreciably diminishing under the influence of a strong demand. Algerians were placed at from 2s 6d to 2s 7d—a slight advance—whilst Tasmanians were unobtainable under 3s. Chickwheat was in moderate supply, and moved briskly at rates well in keeping with those recently established. Barley was firm, there being a continuation of the good demand for prime grain. Peas were conspicuous for their scarcity and, as demand, both locally and on country account, was fairly brisk, the market showed signs of strengthening.

Imported chaff had splendid patronage, and holders were loth to operate at late values. Ex rail prime local made £1 3s 4d, good at from £3 10s to £3 16s 8d, and medium at from £3 5s.

J. W. GRAY and CO., 139 Sussex-street, Auctioneers and Produce Salesmen.—Advt.

GEO. WELLS and MATTHEWS, Live Stock, Grain, Produce Salesmen. Sales Redf. daily. Prom. ret.—Advt.

"KAMERUKA" CHEDDAR CHEESE, Made by experts. Acknowledged to be superior to all other brands.
DENHAM BROS., Sole Agts., 351, 361 Sussex-st.—Advt.

DALGETY and COMPANY, Ltd., hold Auction Sales daily at Redfern Railway Station, all Farm Produce. Full prices, quick returns.—Advt.

"BODALLA" CHEESE, BACON, HAMS, and LARD. The Bodalla Co., Ltd., 239 Sussex-st.—Advt.

R. HALL and SON, Ltd., Auctioneers, Sales at Redfern daily. Highest prices.—Advt.

Lucerne hay continued to receive good support, and the market was strong at the prices. Arrivals by steamer amounted to 150 bales. At auction prime Mudgee realised from £3 14s 8d to £4, medium £3 11s 8d, brown makes £3, and truss from £3 1s 8d to £3 6s 8d, according to quality. Oaten hay and derrick straw were unchanged.

The potato market was weak in value, agents, to rid themselves of a second-grade tuber, operating at concessions. Most business in onions was put through at £3, it having to be an exceptionally attractive lot to secure £3 5s. Former conditions were reported of turnips.

Mill offal was scarce at 10d.

Current quotations were:—

FEED-GRAIN AND CEREAL MARKET.

Barley.—Victorian: Cape [illegible]d to 2s 8d bus.

Maize.—Prime red, free from weevil, 2s 8d; a few holders asking 2s 9d; weevilly from 2s 4d bus; white, 2s 6d to 2s 7d. Victorian: 2s 8d to 2s 10d bus.

Peas.—Blue, 4s 9d to 5s bus; grey, nominal.

Chickwheat.—2s 9d to 3s bus.

Oats.—Melbourne: Algerian, heavy milling, 2s 6d to 2s 7d; light seed, 2s 5d; seed, 2s 6d. Tasmanian: 3s bus. Other kinds, nominal.

Bran.—10d; pollard, 10d bus.

FORAGE MARKET.

Chaff.—Melbourne: Best oaten £3 12s 6d to £3 15s, wheaten £3 15s. Adelaide: £4 ton.

Oaten Hay.—Prime, £3 10s to £3 15s ton.

Derrick Straw.—Tasmanian: £2 7s 6d to £2 10s ton.

Lucerne.—Hunter River: Best dry green, in large bales £3 5s; small bales, £3 10s; brown sweated, £2 15s; hot and rough lots, from £2 5s ton.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Potatoes.—Tasmanian: Best, £2 17s 6d to £3; others from £2 10s to £2 15s ton.

Onions.—Victorian: Brown Spanish, £3 to £3 5s ton.

Turnips.—Tasmanian: £2 10s ton.

DAIRY PRODUCE MARKETS.

The principal aspect of the dairy produce section of the trade was a further fall in the price of bacon, the result of an over-stocked market.

BUTTER SHIPMENT.

Portion of the cargo of the Aberdeen liner Moravian, which left for London yesterday, consisted of 1300 boxes of butter. The shippers of the several consignments making this total were:—Union S.S. Company (400 boxes), Prescott and Co., Ltd. (150), Casino C. D. Company (467), and Dalgety and Co., Ltd. (292).

Current quotations were:—

Butter.—Special flavoured brands 96s, choice 92s to 93s, seconds from 88s to 90s cwt.

Bacon.—Prime factory flitches 7½d, middles 8½d; sides 7½d to 7¾d; special brands, sides 8½d, flitches 8½d, middles 9½d. Hams: In cloth, 10d to 10½d, special brands 10½d, bagged 10d to 11d, special brands, 11½d lb.

Lard.—Packets and small bladders 5½d to 5¾d, bulk 4½d to 4¾d, special brands 5½d to 5¾d.

Honey.—60lb tins extra choice extracted 3d, choice 2½d, prime 2d, medium 1½d lb.

Beeswax.—Dark 1s 1d to 1s 3d, bright 1s 3d to 1s 4d lb.

Cheese.—Local: Prime loaf 5½d to 5¾d, good 5½d, prime large 5½d, good 5d, inferior from 4½d, special brands 5¾d to 6¼d lb.

Eggs.—Northern Rivers, 15d to 17d; Southern and railway, 18d to 20d; new-laid suburban, 21d to 23d, special lots 24d; duck, 19d to 21d doz.

At auction: Eggs, case, 16½d to 18d; new laid, 20d to 21½d; choice suburban brands, 23d; duck, 18d to 21d per doz.

POULTRY.

River.—Hens, old 2s 6d to 2s 9d; young roosters, 2s 6d to 3s; chickens, 1s to 1s 9d; English ducks, 2s to 2s 6d; Muscovy, 2s 6d to 3s; drakes, 3s 6d to 4s; geese, 4s to 5s; turkeys, hens 4s 6d to 6s, gobblers, 8s to 10s, extra heavy 12s to 14s; guineafowls, 4s to 4s 6d pair.

Suburban.—Fowls: Young roosters 3s to 3s 6d, choice 4s, very small kinds from 1s 6d, hens 3s to 3s 6d, choice 4s; ducks, English, 2s 6d to 3s, choice 3s 6d; Muscovy, 2s 6d to 3s, choice 4s; drakes, 3s to 6s, choice 7s; turkeys, hens 6s 6d to 7s 6d, choice 8s, small from 4s 6d; gobblers, 9s to 12s, choice 16s, inferior from 5s; geese, 5s to 6s 6d; guineafowls, 5s to 6s; pigeons, 1s to 1s 6d pair.

Messrs. Ellis and Co. report having obtained the following prices at their auction sale yesterday:—Fowls—young roosters 2s 8d to 4s 6d, choice 5s 6d, very small kinds from 2s, fat hens 2s 9d to 3s 5d, choice 4s 1d; ducks—English 2s 7d to 3s 8d, choice suburban 4s 2d, muscovy 2s 8d to 3s 4d, choice suburban 3s 10d, drakes (muscovy) 3s 8d to 5s 1d, choice suburban 5s 11d; turkeys—hens 5s 9d to 7s, choice 8s, small from 4s, gobblers 8s 9d to 13s 6d, choice 18s 6d, small from 5s; geese, 4s 6d to 7s 6d; guinea fowls, 4s 9d to 5s 6d; pigeons, 1s 3d to 1s 7d; sucking pigs, 5s to 8s 6d, choice weighty 10s 6d each.

GAME.

Black duck, 2s 9d; teal, 1s 3d to 1s 6d; brown duck, 2s; blue wing, 1s 6d to 2s pair.

SYDNEY AUCTION SALES.

Only 28 consignments were offered at the railway auction. The attendance of buyers was small, but competition was keen, only half a dozen trucks being passed in. Prime chaff made 4s 2d, good from 3s 6d to 3s 10d, and medium 3s 3d. Choice quality held firmly to the late rate, as agents would not close with an offer of 4s 4d. Lucerne was firmer, prime Mudgee makes bringing 3s 10d to 4s; and medium 3s 7d; while truss moved off at from 3s 1d to 3s 4d. Better business was done in oats at 2s 8½d for white, and 2s 4d to 2s 5½d for Algerian, both kinds inferior. Wheat was also stronger at 3s 1d, and 3s 1½d for prime chickfeed, while second quality milling commanded 3s 3d. Disposals were as follow:—

Chaff.—Ex Wellington (11179) 3s 3d; ex Derrain, (5652) 4s 2d; Logan, (11930) 4s 2d; Ashwood, Ganmain, (10064) 3s 9d; Dean, (3731) 3s 6d, (1078) 3s 6d; ex Springhill, (4192) 3s 10d; ex Dubbo, (6322) 3s 6d cwt.

Lucerne Hay.—From Tomkins, Mudgee, (2348) 3s 10d; J. Smith, Mudgee, (6608) 3s 7d; Woolley, (12682) green, 4s; brown, 3s; Greentree, Windsor, (6337) 3s 2d; Vaughan, Mulgrave, (8534) 3s 4d; Cox, (7078) 3s 1d cwt.

Wheat.—Ex Darling Harbour, (4670) 3s 3d, (4102) 3s 1½d, (1058) 3s 1d bus.

Oats.—Ex Blayney, (6773) 2s 8½d; ex Orange, (1634) 40 X 2s 4d, 28 2s 4d; Priest, Mullion Creek, (4286) 2s 5½d bus.

Pumpkins.—From H. Hollier, Penrith, (1297) 1s 8d; Purcell, 9d; Purcell, (8052) 9d doz.

FRUIT MARKETS.

BATHURST-STREET.

Agents reported favourably on trade at the central fruit market, choice table lines continuing to move briskly. Bananas were somewhat cheaper, whilst American lemons were placed at 5s double-case.

Current quotations were:—

Pineapples.—Common, choice 7s to 7s 6d, others from 6s; Queens, choice 6s to 7s, others from 5s.

Cucumbers.—Local: 6s to 7s, others 5s gin-case.

Bananas.—Fiji: G.M.'s, 12s 6d to 13s 6d case, 4s to 9s bunch; Chinese, 11s 6d to 12s 6d case, 3s to 4s bunch. Queensland: 1s 6d to 2s bunch, 5s 6d to 6s case.

Lemons.—Local: Choice 5s to 6s, good 4s to 5s, medium 2s 6d to 3s gin-case. American: 6s half-case, containing from 168, 5s double-case.

Tomatoes.—Local: Choice 2s 6d to 3s, medium 2s; sauce lots 1s half-case.

Pears.—Local: China, choice 2s 6d to 3s, medium 2s. Tasmanian: Gansell's, choice 3s to 3s 6d, medium 2s 6d; Beurre Bose, choice 2s 6d to 3s, others from 2s half-bushel case. Victoria: Beurre de Cap, choice 5s to 5s 6d, medium 4s to 4s 6d; Beurre Bose, choice 4s 6d to 5s, medium 3s 6d to 4s case.

Passionfruit.—Choice 5s to 6s box, others from 4s to 5s gin-case.

Apples.—Cooking: Granny Smiths, choice 4s to 5s, medium 3s to 4s, jam lots 1s 6d to 2s; Luxemburgs, 2s 6d to 3s 6d gin-case; Five-crowns, choice 5s to 6s; Snowy, choice 6s to 7s, medium 4s to 5s gin-case. Tasmanian: Alexanders, choice coloured 4s 6d to 5s, large pale 3s to 3s 6d bushel-case. Victoria: Jonathans, choice 4s 6d to 6s 6d, medium 3s 6d to 4s gin-case.

Quinces.—Choice 3s, medium 1s 6d to 2s 6d gin-case.

Peaches.—Italian: Slipstones, choice 3s to 4s, medium 2s to 2s 6d box, 3s 6d to 5s gin-case. Canning: 4s to 5s gin-case. Victorian: Choice 6s to 7s, medium 5s to 6s packer.

Persimmons.—Choice 2s 6d to 3s, medium 1s 6d to 2s half-case.

Cocoanuts.—16s to 17s bag.

BELMORE.

The chief changes which characterised the close of the week's business at Belmore were an easier tone in passionfruit, lemons, plums, and bananas. Cocoanuts, when procurable, command fancy prices.

Current quotations were:—

FRUIT.

Apples.—Local: Five-crown 6s to 7s gin-case, 3s to 4s bushel-case; cooking, 2s 6d to 4s 6d; jam lots, from 1s jam-case. Victorian: Jonathans, 5s 6d to 6s 6d bushel-case; Pomme de Neigh, 5s 6d to 6s 6d. Tasmanian: R.P., 4s to 5s 6d; Alex, 3s 6d to 4s 6d; M.C., 2s 6d to 3s 6d bushel-case; A.P.M., 5s to 6s; medium 3s 6d to 4s 6d; S.P.M., choice 6s 6d to 7s 6d, medium 5s 6d to 6s.

Pineapples.—Common, small 3s 6d to 4s 6d, large 6s 6d to 7s 6d; Queens, 4s 6d to 6s case.

Passionfruit.—Choice 4s to 4s 6d, medium 2s 6d to 3s, small unsaleable.

Oranges.—Local: Main crop, 6s gin-case; Queensland, 5s to 6s.

Lemons.—Choice, coloured, 5s, prime 4s to 4s 6d; rough, 2s 6d gin-case; Messina, 6s 6d to 7s 6d box of 150 to 180 pieces.

Pears.—Victorian: G.B., 4s 6d to 6s; B.D.C., 5s 6d to 6s; B.B., 5s 6d to 6s packer. Tasmanian: G.B., 3s 6d to 4s; B.D.C., 3s to 4s; B.B., 4s to 4s 6d half bushel case; Marie Louise, 4s 6d to 5s packer. Cooking: China, 3s; other varieties, 2s 6d gin-case.

Cocoanuts.—Market bare.

Tomatoes.—2s 6d to 3s 6d half-case.

Plums.—Local and Tasmanian; Sydney late 1s 6d to 2s half-case; other varieties, 1s 6d to 2s 6d half-case.

Grapes.—Black Hamburgs, 2s to 2s 6d; late sherry, 2s 6d to 4s; Black Prince, 2s 6d to 4s; Black Muscatels, choice 3s 6d to 4s 6d, lower quality 2s to 3s; white Muscatel, 3s to 4s box of 24lb to 26lb.

Quinces.—2s to 3s. Victorian: 4s 6d to 5s 6d gin-case.

Persimmons.—1s 6d to 3s half-case.

Bananas.—Queensland, 7s to 8s. Fiji: 10s to 11s case.

VEGETABLES.

Cabbages, large 3s 6d to 4s, small 1s to 1s 6d; pumpkins, small 2s 6d, large 6s; marrows, 1s 6d to 2s; carrots, 1s; parsnips, 1s 6d; white turnips, 1s 3d to 1s 6d; beetroot, 6d; celery, 2s; watercress, 2s doz bunches; eschalots, 1s; rhubarb, 1s to 1s 6d; parsley, 1s 6d; herbs, 6d; mint, 1s; radishes, 4d; spinach, 8d; asparagus, 4d doz bunches; potatoes, Circular Head, 3s 6d; sweet potatoes, 3s; onions, 4s cwt; beans, French, 2s 6d; peas, local 2s 6d; Tasmanian, 1s 6d; tomatoes, 2s 6d quarter-case.

STOCK AND STATION PRODUCE.

The Australasian Mortgage, Land, and Finance Co., Ltd., John Bridge and Co., Ltd., Dalgety and Co., Ltd., Goldsbrough, Mort, and Co., Ltd., Harrison, Jones, and Devlin, Ltd., Hill, Clark, and Co., New Zealand Loan and Mercantile Agency Co., Ltd., Pastoral Finance Association, Ltd., Pitt, Son, and Badgery, Ltd., Schute, Bell, and Co., Winchcombe, Carson, and Co., Ltd., report:—

Sheepskins.—A firmer market ruled, with good general competition. Merinos were unchanged, with a tendency in sellers' favour for the best lines, whilst crossbred recovered the ½d per lb, lost the previous week. Quotations:—Merino, three-quarters to full woolled, 6d to 8½d; half-woolled, 5d to 8½d; short-woolled, 5½d to 7½d. Crossbred, fine to 8½d; coarse to 8½d. Lambs to 8½d. Pelts, crossbred to 7½d, merino to 7½d.

Hides.—Opening rates were generally ½d per lb lower, with dull competition, but as sales progressed the decline was much heavier, and at the close heavies were ½d to ¾d per lb lower, and light and mediums ½d to ¾d down. Quotations:—Queensland butchers' hides:—Heavy weights (60lb and up), 7½d and up per lb; medium weights (45lb to 54lb), 6½d to 7½d; light weights (36lb to 42lb), 6d to 6½d; dry hides, 6½d to 8d. New South Wales butchers' hides:—Extra heavy weights (66lb and up), 7d to 9½d; heavy weights (60lb to 66lb), 5½d to 8½d; bulls, 4½d to 4¾d; medium weights (44lb to 58lb), 5½d to 6d; light weights (35lb to 42lb), 5½d to 5¾d; inferior and faulty, 3½d to 5½d; dry hides, 5½d to 7½d.

Messrs. George H. Moxham and Co. report having held their usual weekly sales of sheepskins and hides yesterday.

Stock Exchange investors and speculators should never miss the notes in "The Sydney Mail," detailing the Stock and Share Market. The advice and hints given in the letter are always well worth careful scrutiny.—Advt.

MINING INTELLIGENCE.

THE SHARE MARKET.

The price of copper continues to advance on the London market, and yesterday morning's advices stated that a further rise of 20s per ton had taken place. This had the effect of strengthening shares on the local market, but the turnover was not so large as might have been expected. However, in most cases exchanges were made at an advance. Chillagoe, Lloyds, and Mungana were in better favour. Wallaroo and Moonta and Mount Molloy sold at late rates, while Hampden were taken at 18s 6d.

The silver section was dull, only three sales being recorded. This was probably due to the fact that lead had further receded 5s per ton. The creep in the Block 10 mine was also responsible for a reduction in share values, an exchange being reported at £5. South Blocks and Junction North were easier. There was little inquiry for tin stocks, and prices remained without material alteration. Tingha had attention at 9s, and New Wylie Creek at 5s 4½d.

Gold interests claimed some support, but apart from an advance in Baker's Creek and a slight weakening in South Glanmire and Monkland, quotations showed little movement.

The business transacted in the afternoon was about on a par with that of the morning, and the market showed little variation. In the copper section, Mount Molloy, Mungana, and O.K. had exchanges at late rates. Among silver stocks, Broken Hill South, contg, sold at £7 6s, while Junction North receded to 36s. There was rather better inquiry for gold interests. Baker's Creek showed a fractional advance, but No. 2 South Great Eastern were taken at a slight reduction. New Hillgrove and Great Northern had inquiry at late rates.

Sydney Stock Exchange.—The closing quotations were:—

	Buyers. £ s d	Sellers. £ s d
COPPER.		
Bogan River, contributing	—	0 5 5
Budgery North, contributing	—	0 0 7
Chillagoe	0 9 9	0 10 0
Crowl Creek, Shuttleton, paid	0 7 8	0 8 0
Girilambone Mining	0 2 3	—
Glassford Creek	0 2 10	0 3 0
Hampden-Cloncurry, paid	0 18 0	—
M'Gregor-Cloncurry, paid	0 7 3	0 8 0
Mount Boppy, paid	0 3 6	0 4 6
Ditto, contributing	—	0 3 0
Mount Hector, contributing	—	0 4 9
Mount Cannindah	0 5 2	0 5 6
Mount Molloy	1 3 6	1 3 9
Mungana (Chillagoe)	0 14 10½	0 15 1½
O. K.	0 11 9	0 12 0
Queen Bee	1 7 9	—
Tasmanian Copper (paid)	0 14 6	0 15 6
Wallaroo and Moonta	—	5 8 0
TIN.		
Briseis	0 12 9	0 13 9
Dalziell's Tin Mines	—	0 6 9
Gilmore	0 7 4	0 7 8
Smith's Creek Proprietary	0 7 6	0 7 10
Stannary Hills	0 5 9	—
Vulcan	0 8 4	0 8 5
SILVER. New South Wales, etc.		
British Broken Hill	1 18 0	2 0 0
Broken Hill Proprietary	4 6 6	—
Ditto, Block 10	—	5 4 0
Ditto, Block 14	1 4 3	—
Ditto, preference	1 2 3	—
B. H. Junction	0 6 8	0 7 1
B. H. Junction North	1 16 0	1 16 9
B. H. North	—	3 12 0
B. H. South	7 11 0	—
B. H. South, contributing	7 2 6	7 7 0
B. H. South Blocks	1 13 6	—
New White Leads	—	0 1 3
Overflow	0 2 6	—
Rising Sun	0 0 6	0 1 0
Sulphide Corporation (ordinary)	0 18 0	0 18 9
GOLD. New South Wales, etc.		
Araluen Shovel	0 7 3	0 7 9
Baker's Creek	0 6 0	0 6 3
Harden	—	1 11 6
Harden West	—	0 2 11
Ditto, contributing	—	0 2 0
Mount David	0 0 7	0 0 9
Myall and Peak Hill (paid)	0 1 6	0 2 6
New Hillgrove Proprietary	0 10 0	0 10 3
Occidental	0 9 9	—
Sunlight	—	0 2 0
Dredging and Sluicing.		
Amalgamated Tin	0 6 3	0 6 9
Araluen Central	0 7 6	0 9 6
Cope's Creek	0 6 6	—
New Wylie Creek	0 5 8	0 6 6
Ovens Valley	0 6 6	—
Reform Tin, paid	—	0 6 0
Tingha Tin	0 8 6	0 9 6
Turon River	0 8 0	0 9 0
Union, contributing	—	0 6 0
Tasmania.		
Austral Valley	—	0 6 6
Mount Lyell	2 8 0	—
Queensland. Charters Towers, etc.		
Bonnie Dundee	—	0 1 1
Brilliant Central	0 7 0	—
Brilliant Extended	—	0 10 0
Ditto, contributing	—	0 6 4
Clark's Brilliant Worcester, etc.	0 0 6	0 0 8
Kelly's Queen's Block	0 3 9	—
Mount Morgan	4 8 0	4 9 0
Queen Central	0 3 0	—
Queen Cross Reef	0 3 7	0 4 0
Ruby	0 4 0	—
Victory	0 1 0	0 1 9
Gympie.		
North Columbia and Smithfield No. 1	0 2 6	0 3 3
Ditto, No. 2	0 11 0	0 14 0
North Oriental and Glanmire, No. 1	—	0 2 4
North Smithfield	0 2 5	—
Oriental and Glanmire	0 3 10	0 4 2
South Glanmire and Monkland	0 5 3	0 6 0
South Great Eastern, No. 2	0 3 6	0 4 0
Western Australia.		
Associated	1 9 0	—
Chaffer's	0 0 7	0 0 10
Great Boulder, Main Reef	—	0 2 0
Ditto, No. 1	—	0 6 6
Hainault	—	1 13 6
Queensland Menzies	0 2 1	0 2 4
Queen Margaret	0 2 3	—

STOCK EXCHANGE SALES.

MORNING.

Copper: Chillagoe, 9s 10½d; Wallaroo and Moonta (terms, one month), £5 7s 3d; Lloyds, 15s 8d; Mungana, 15s 1½d, 15s; Hampden, 18s 6d; Mount Molloy, 23s 6d.

Silver: B.H. South Blocks, 33s; B.H. Block 10, £5; B.H. Junction North, 36s 6d.

Tin: Tingha (paid), 9s; New Wylie Creek, 5s 4½d.

Gold: Harden Central (contg), 2s 2d; South Glanmire and Monkland, 5s 10d; Queensland Menzies, 2s 2d; Baker's Creek, 6s.

AFTERNOON.

Copper: Mount Molloy, 23s 6d; Mungana, 15s; O.K., 11s 10½d.

Silver: B.H. South (contg.), £7 6s; B.H. Junction North, 36s; B. H. South Blocks, 33s 6d.

Tin: Vulcan, 8s 4d.

Gold: Baker's Creek, 6s 1d; New Hillgrove, 10s; No. 2 South Great Eastern, 3s 9d; Great Northern, 2s 8d; Associated, 30s.

MINING NOTES.

The Broken Hill Proprietary Company's London cable dated April 25 gives the official quotation for silver at 2s 6 5-16d per oz. The buying price of lead was £19 15s; spelter (zinc), £25 17s 6d; and the company's shares £4 7s 6d.

MINING IN THE STATE.

BRAIDWOOD, Friday.

The monthly police escort took 542oz 8dwt 18gr of gold to Tarago.

LITHGOW, Friday.

The mining report from Wattle Flat states that rain is badly needed, the dams and tanks being dry. Davis and Co. crushed 12½ tons from their claim on Surface Hill, which returned an ounce to the ton. Brayley and party's crushing from Blue Duck also went over an ounce to the ton. Brayley and party have applied for a lease of two acres at Solitary for sluicing purposes.

TUMBERUMBA, Friday.

Mr. Hooke, mining inspector, is on an official visit to this district. There have been some important discoveries at Laurel and Cherry Hills, and Manus. Mr. Johnson, the new manager of Storey's Quartz Reef, has arrived to recommence operations at the mine. He is representing a large company.

THE COBAR FIELD.

At the Budgery Mines, N.L., during the past fortnight the air shaft has been holed through to the rise, thus completing it. The NE crosscut off No. 3 winze has been extended 24ft; total distance 39ft. The country passed through up to the 35ft point was slate and ironstone, and at this point blue slate was met with; at 34 feet bands of red slate came in, carrying a large proportion of native copper. No. 2 winze has been sunk a further 4½ft. The crosscut at the 218ft level has been extended 24ft, disclosing a fair amount of black ore, intermixed with bands of ironstone carrying heavy pyrites. The drive off the bottom of No. 1 winze has been restarted and driven 10ft, the present face showing solid black sulphides.

At the Great Western copper mine, Girilambone, the north drive has been extended a further distance of 8½ft, total distance 121ft. The face of this drive shows splashes of good ore all over it, the floor appears to be on the top of the best ore, as it makes much stronger underfoot the further the drive goes. No. 2 shaft has been sunk a further 6ft, total depth 90ft.

At a meeting of the directors of the Mount Pleasant Copper Mining Company it was decided to go into voluntary liquidation. Mr. John Leah was appointed liquidator. It is expected everything will be completed in about a fortnight.

The half-yearly meeting of shareholders in the Shango Copper Mining Company was held last night. There was a large attendance. The following directors were elected:—Messrs. W. Gill, A. Luff, R. Rochelle, O. Davis, R. Hyde, R. Allen, and J. Dicks. Mr. H. R. Treatt was elected secretary and Messrs. Hambly and Stewart auditors.

The contractors at the Budgery Reward have sunk the shaft a further distance of 17½ft; total depth 204ft. Timbering and laddering have been carried down to within a safe distance from the bottom.

The No. 2 shaft at the Mount Budgery has been extended 11ft; total depth 87ft. The country passed through consists of red slate mixed with ironstone, and quartz is now showing in the bottom. A small band of kaolin came in at the west end of the shaft, and is dipping east.

At the C.S.A. South the contractors have commenced sinking the shaft from the 200 to the 300 ft. level.

The Mallee Tank shaft is now down 200ft. and timbered and laddered. The directors are inviting tenders for sinking another 50ft.

Mr. Lloyd, health inspector, and Mr. Polkinghorne, inspector of mines, have made a thorough inspection of the Great Cobar mine, and report everything satisfactory.

ANOTHER FLOTATION.

THE GREAT FITZROY PROPRIETARY MINES.

Mr. G. P. Doolette, president of the Mine-owners Association, London, and chairman of the Great Boulder Company, has floated an extensive property near Rockhampton (Q.), formerly known as the Mount Chalmers gold mine, but which has entered the copper zone. The company has been registered at Melbourne as the Great Fitzroy Proprietary Gold and Copper Mines, Ltd., and has a nominal capital of £500,000 in £1 shares, and a working capital of £175,000. The first issue of capital has been subscribed privately, and no shares are being offered to the public. The board of directors will consist of Messrs. W. L. Baillieu, W. J. Loring, Philip Charley, and G. P. Doolette. Active operations will be proceeded with at once. The intention is to sink the main shaft another 100ft from the present No. 3 level, which is 230ft from the surface, and sink winzes at different points from the bottom of the mine to further open up the great bodies already developed. The ore in sight is estimated to be worth one million pounds sterling. The first of a series of 100-ton water jacket smelters will be erected without delay. The mine will be connected with the Government railway by a line from Tungamull or New Zealand Gully, the question of the best route not yet having been determined. The management will be in the hands of Messrs Bewick, Moreing, and Co.

Mr. Doolette, who has been on an extensive tour of inspection of the principal mines of New South Wales and Queensland, was much impressed with the possibilities generally, especially with several Queensland properties, including the Mount Hector and Glassford Creek copper mines, and the Mount Shamrock gold mine. He has secured options over these properties with a view to financing them in London.

DEVELOPMENTS AT TINGHA.

TINGHA, Friday.

The syndicate which has been trying to pick up the lead between Rowe's Hill and the Phoenix have struck boulders. Schuman and party, working on the Tupper's Mountain lead, have commenced washing, but will not be able to clean up for about a week. So far the washing is turning out satisfactorily. Jennings and party, tributing for Bomers at the Red Hill, have been shut down for some time. They will make a start again in a few days.

The local price of tin ore is £118 per ton.

During the past week Mr. Reherson, representing the Melbourne board of directors of the Consolidated Tin-dredging Company, and Mr. Herman, the delegate of the London shareholders, together with Mr. Pearson, the legal manager, visited Tingha for the purpose of inspecting the various dredging properties of the company. They have decided to erect more powerful machinery, so as to further develop their properties both here and at Stannifer.

Tingha South No. 1 has cleaned up with a return of 2 tons 19cwt 4lb of tin ore, being the result of seven days' work.

The Amalgamated Tin-dredging Company, on Block No. 1, have been operating principally on overburden for some time with very little wash. The cleanup is not expected to be very good. They are now sluicing away a narrow channel, so as to get into the creek. On No. 2 block they have been working nearly full time, engaged operating on poor ground, and the returns have been rather indifferent. Good headway is now being made towards the old workings, where a good run of tin is supposed to exist. It was abandoned when tin was at a low figure, as the body of water was too heavy to overcome.

The Union Company have broken into old workings left by previous owners, and only one small patch of solid ground has been met with, and it will take some weeks' dead work before they are able to operate on a good face of wash.

The Reform Tin Dredging Company have been erecting a dividing dam and doing a deal of other dead work, but this is now completed, and last week's returns gave very good results, with every prospect of an improvement.

The Melbourne Cope's Creek Tin Dredging Company have been operating on overburden for some time, but have now started blowing in on the wash, but it will be some time before they clean up. It is their intention to shift the barge to a site higher up Herding Yard gully.

BARRIER MINES.

BROKEN HILL, Friday.

The Proprietary mine's developments at 1100ft and 1200ft gave quite a new complexion to the Barrier's mineral life. Not only is the ore body at 1200ft towards Block 10 showing great width, having extended past the horse of mullock believed to be the hanging wall, but the drive north has gone through a dipping intrusion, and is now in a good body or ore. This latter body, if it makes good through the Proprietary's block 13, as it promises to do, means much for Block 14 and the British. At depth these developments are of extreme importance.

The Pinnacle's mine has met a new vein of ore at the 65ft level. The vein is only about 2ft wide, but it contains galena worth about 60 per cent. lead, while chloride shows freely in crevices of the ore. The new milling plant for this mine is on its way from Adelaide.

INTERSTATE EXCHANGES.

ADELAIDE, Friday.

To-day's sales and quotations were:—

Western Australian mines: Associated, 30s, 30s 3d, b 30s 1½d, s 30s 6d; ditto Northern, 19s 6d, 19s 4½d, b 19s, s 19s 3d; Great Boulder Perseverance, 6s 7½d, 6s 6d, b 6s 6d, s 6s 8d; Great Boulder, 24s 1½d, 24s, b 23s 10½d, s 24s; Golden Pole, 3s 11d, 3s 11½d, 3s 9d, b 3s 8d, s 3s 10d; Golden Ridge, b 16s, s 20s; Hainault, b 32s, s 33s; Lake View Consols, 15s 6d, b 15s 3d, s 15s 6d; Mararoa, 3s 6d, b 3s, s 3s 4d; Oroya Brown Hill, b 34s, s 35s; Queensland Menzies, 2s 2d, 2s 6d, 2s 5½d, b 2s 5d, s 2s 6d; Gwalia South, paid, b 19s 3d, s 19s 9d; South Kalgurli, b 13s, s 20s; Victory, 3s 4d, 3s 5d, b 3s 4d, s 3s 5d.

Various: Baker's Creek, 5s 11d, 6s 3d, 3s 1½d, b 6s 1d, s 6s 2d; Mount Morgan, 88s 6d, s 89s 6d.

Silver: Broken Hills, 88s 3d, b 88s 3d, s 88s 6d; B.H. Block 14 (pref.), 27s 3d, b 22s 9d, s 23s 3d; British (old), 39s 6d, 39s 4½d, b 39s 3d, s 39s 6d; ditto (new), b 38s 3d, s 38s 9d; B.H. Block 10, £5 2s 6d, b £5 2s, s £5 3s; B.H. Junction, 6s 11d, 6s 10d, b 6s 9d, s 6s 11d; B.H. South, contg, £7 6s, b £7 5s, s £7 7s; South Blocks, 33s 9d, 34s 3d, 33s 9d, b 33s 7½d, s 34s; Junction North, 36s 6d, 36s 1½d, b 36s, s 36s 1½d.

Copper: Austral Valley, paid, b 4s 10d, s 5s 2d; Burra, paid, b 5s 11d, s 6s 3d; ditto, contg, b 5s 7d, s 5s 9d; Poona, 2s 1d, b 2s 1d, s 2s 2d; Chillagoe, 10s 9d, b 10s 9d, s 11s; ditto, contg, 9s 10½d, 10s, b 9s 11d, s 10s; Hanley, b 7s 3d, s 8s 6d; Cloncurry, 18s 3d, b 18s, s 18s 6d; Macgregor, b 17s, s 18s; Mount Elliott, paid, b 72s, s 74s; Mount Molloy, paid, 24s, 23s 9d, b 23s 6d, s 23s 9d; Mount Lyell, b 49s, s 49s 6d; Mungana, 15s 3d, 15s 2½d, 15s 3d, b 15s 3d, s 15s 4½d; Mutooroo, b 6s 10d, s 7s; ditto, paid, b 12s 6d, s 12s 9d; ditto North, £11 10s, b £11 10s, s £12 10s; O.K., paid, 11s 10½d, b 11s 9d, s 11s 10½d; Wallaroo, £5 6s, £5 5s, b £5 5s 6d; Imperial, b 30s, s 80s.

Tin: Smith's Creek, b 7s 5d, s 7s 8d; Stannary Hills, 5s 9d, 5s 9½d, b 5s 9d, s 5s 10d.

BRISBANE, Friday.

To-day's quotations were:—

Chillagoe (new), b 3s; ditto, cont., 9s 9d, 10s; ditto (forward), 10s, 10s 6d; Dalziell's, s 6s 6d; Glassford, 2s 9d, 3s; Gilmore, 7s 3d, 7s 10d; Mount Cannindah, 5s 5d, 5s 7d; ditto (forward), 5s 7d, 5s 8½d; Mount Hector, cont., 43s 6d, 44s 3d, (forward) s 44s 6d; ditto (paid), s 46s; Merlin, cont., £7 10s, £8 10s; Mount Molloy, 23s, 23s 5d; Mungana, 14s 10d, 15s 3d; ditto (forward), 15s 1d, 15s 6d; O.K., 11s 9d, 11s 10d; ditto (forward), 12s, 12s 3d; Peak Downs, cont., 59s 6d, 60s; ditto (forward), b 59s 6d; ditto (paid), 60s, 64s; (forward), 61s 6d, 65s 6d; Phoenician, cont., 2s, 2s 7d; Smith's Creek (ord.), 7s 4d, 8s; Stannary Hills, b 5s 6d; Vulcan, b 8s 2d; Willcock's (paid), s £25; Chillagoe Ruddigore, £16, £16 10s; Weinert's, b 15s; ditto (forward), b 15s; South Cannindah, cont., b £6.

Sales: Mount Morgan, 88s; Chillagoe, cont., 9s 9d, 9s 10d; Mungana, 15s; ditto (forward), 15s 2d; Gilmore, 7s 6d; Mount Hector, cont., 43s 9d; Mount Molloy, 23s 5d; O.K., 11s 10d; Smith's Creek (ord.), 7s 6d; Chillagoe Ruddigort, £16 10s, £16.

BENDIGO, Friday.

To-day's quotations and sales were:—Catherine Reef, b 32s 9d, s 33s 6d, sales 32s 9d; Ellenborough, b 1s 3½d, 1s 7d, sales 1s 8d, 1s 7d; Goldfield Consol., b 13s, s 13s 4d, sales 12s 10d, 13s 2d; Goldfield Extended, b 3s 3d, s 3s 10d, sales 3s 7d, 3s 9d; Hustler's Reef, b 19s 9d; Koch's Pioneer, b 6s 6d; Lazarus, b 2s 1d, s 2s 9d; New Argus, s 20s 3d; New Chum Railway, b 14s, s 15s 3d; New Chum Goldfields, b 16s 10½d, s 18s 6d; New Moon, b 80s, s 91s; New Moon Consols, b 8s, s 9s 1½d, sales 8s 7½d; Sea, s 10s 6d; South New Moon, b 70s, s 76s; Specimen Hill, b 23s 9d, s 24s, sales 24s 3d; Victoria Quartz, b 6s 6d, s 8s 3d; Williams' United, s 14s.

CHARTERS TOWERS, Friday.

To-day's quotations were:—Bonnie, b 10d; B. Central, 2s, 3s; B. Extended, 5s 9d, 6s; ditto, paid, b 9s 3d; Carrington, 5s 6d, 5s 8d; Worcester, 5d, 6d; ditto, paid, 7d, 7½d; Mexican, 2s 2d, 2s 7d; Alexandra, 3s 2d, 3s 3d; ditto, paid, 4s 2d, 4s 6d; Kelly's Queen, 3s 8d, 3s 9d; Marshall's Queen, 1s 6d, 1s 8d; ditto, paid, b 2s; Mills United, 18s, 19s; Freehold, 2s 8d, 2s 10d; New Queen, b 1s 6d; Phoebe, b 1s 7d; Q. Cross Reef, 3s 10d, 4s; Q. Central, b 3s; ditto, paid, 3s 8d, 4s 2d; Ruby, 3s 3d, 3s 5d; ditto, paid, 4s 2d, 4s 6d.

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GYMPIE, Friday.

To-day's quotations were:—No. 1 North Columbia, 2s 11d, 3s 3d; No. 2 ditto, 12s, 14s; South Glanmire and Monkland, 5s 3d, 6s; Great Northern, 2s 8d, 3s; Smithfield Pile, 6s 7d, 8s; North Smithfield, 2s 6d, 3s 3d.

LAUNCESTON, Friday.

To-day's quotations were:—Tasmania, s 19s; Magnet, 27s, 32s 6d; North Mount Farrell, 24s, 26s; Tasmanian Copper, 14s 10½d, 15s 2d; Mount Bischoff, £22 17s 6d, £23; Arba, 13s 9d, 20s 9d; Pioneer, s £9 2s; Weir's, 1s, 2s 6d; Wynford, 6d, 8d.

MELBOURNE, Friday.

To-day's sales and quotations were:—

Silver: B.H. Block 10, b £4 19s, s £5 3s; B.H. Block 14, pref., b 23s, s 25s; British Broken Hill, 38s 9d, 39s 6d; Broken Hill, 88s, b 87s 6d, s 88s; ditto Junction, b 6s 6d, s 7s 2d; ditto Junction North, b 36s 3d, s 36s 7½d; ditto South Blocks, 34s 3d, 33s 9d, b 33s 9d, s 34s; New White Leads, s 1s; North Broken Hill, 70s 6d, b 70s 6d, s 71s; Sulphide Corporation, s 21s.

Copper and gold: Mount Lyell, 49s 6d, b 49s, s 49s 3d; Tasman and Crown Extended, paid, 1s 1d, 1s 0½d, b 1s, s 1s 0½d; Chillagoe, 9s 10d, 10s; ditto, paid, 11s 1d, 10s 10d, 11s, b 10s 11d, s 11s; Hampden, 18s 4d, 18s 9d, 18s 6d, b 18s 6d, s 18s 9d; Macgregor, b 7s 3d, s 7s 8d; Mount Cannindah, s 5s 10d; Mount Elliott, b 70s; Mount Hope, 3s 6d, b 3s 4d, s 3s 7d; ditto, paid, 3s 6d, b 3s 3d, s 3s 7d; Mount Molloy, b 23s, s 24s; Mungana, 15s 3d, 15s, b 15s, s 15s 2d; O.K. (Adelaide register), b 11s 6d; ditto (Queensland register), b 11s 6d; Peak Downs, b 60s, s 65s; Callington, 4s, 4s 6d, b 4s 3d, s 4s 6d; Mount Morgan, b 88s, s 90s.

Tin: Amalgamated, b 6s, s 6s 9d; Briseis, b 13s, s 13s 6d; ditto, Extended, 43s, 45s; Cope's Creek Central, 21s, b 20s; ditto (Pref.), b 21s; Dorset, 40s, b 40s; Melbourne Cope's Creek, b 13s, s 14s; ditto (paid), b 13s; Mt. Pleasant, s 12s; Pioneer Extended, 3s 11d, 3s 8d, b 3s 6d, s 3s 9d; Weldbrook, 32s, b 31s.

Victorian gold mines: Abel's Reef, 1s, b 1s; Ajax, 95s, b 93s, s 100s; ditto (paid), 93s, b 92s; Birthday Tunnel, 23s, b 22s 6d, s 23s; Cassilis, 12s; Catherine Reef, 32s 3d, 33s, b 32s, s 32s 9d; Derby United, 2s 3d, 2s 5d, b 2s 1d, s 2s 4d; Electro Hydraulic 3s 4d; Goldfields Consols, 12s 9d, 12s 10d, b 12s 10d, s 13s; ditto, Extended, 3s 6d, 3s 7d; Great Southern, b 22s, s 25s; ditto, Consols, 3s 1d, b 3s, s 3s 1d; Hustlers Reef, b 20s, s 21s; Long Tunnel, b 82s, s 88s; ditto, Extended, £12 10s, b £12 5s, s £12 15s; New Discovery, b 9s 6d, s 9s 9d; New Loch Fyne, b 1s 7d; Nuggety Ajax South, 4s 10d, 5s, b 4s 9d; Poseidon, 1s 3d, 1s 9d, 1s 6½d, b 1s 6d, s 1s 6½d; Russell's Reef, 3s 10d, 3s 9d, b 3s 9d, s 3s 10d; Sailor's Falls, 6s 6d, 7s 1d, 6s 11d, b 6s 10d, s 7s; Sir John Franklin, 1s 1d, b 1s, s 1s 1d; South German, 26s, 27s 4½d, b 27s 3d, s 27s 6d; South New Moon, 72s, b 71s, s 72s; South Victorian Cornish, 1s 8d, 1s 6d, s 1s 8d; St. John's, 25s, 23s, b 23s.

Western Australian gold mines: Barramble Ranges, b 15s, s 17s 6d; Barramble South, b 2s 6d, s 3s 6d; Black Range, b 45s, s 48s; Havilah, 27s, 25s 6d, 26s, b 25s 9d, s 26s 1½d; Queen Margaret, 2s 6d, b 2s; Tindals, b 1s 6d.

LONDON SHARE MARKET.

LONDON, April 26.

On the Stock Exchange yesterday, quotations of Australian mining securities were:—Broken Hill Proprietary, b 87s 6d, s 88s 9d; British Broken Hill, b 38s 9d, s 41s 2d; North Broken Hill, b 71s 3d, s 73s 9d; South Broken Hill, b £7 10s, s £7 15s.

Private advices state that among the shares quoted on the London Stock Exchange on Thursday were the following:—Mungana, 15s 3d (b); Mount Lyell, 49s 4½d (b); Mount Elliott, 72s 6d (b); Hampden, 18s 9d (b); Chillagoe, 10s 3d (m); Briseis, 13s 3d (m); Broken Hills, 87s 6d (b); B.H. Block 10, £5 2s 6d (b); Sulphide Corporation (ord.), 18s 6d (m); South Kalgurli, 13s 9d (b); Great Fingall, 41s 3d; Kalgurli, £10 (s); Lake View Consols, 22s 6d (b); Great Boulder Perseverance, 6s 3d (b).

Copper was quoted at £102 per ton, and lead at £19 15s.

MINING DIVIDENDS.

Dividends have been declared payable on the dates mentioned hereunder. C. denotes when transfer books close, and P. when payable:—

NEW SOUTH WALES.

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British B. H., C. May 3, P. May 10	[illegible]	[illegible]
B.H. Block 14, C. May 3, P. May 25	[illegible]	[illegible]
B.H. Proprietary, C. May 1, P. May 15	[illegible]	[illegible]
B.H. South, C. May 3, P. May 1[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Araluen Redbank, P. April 27	[illegible]	[illegible]
Harden Gold Mine, C. May 1, P. May 6	[illegible]	[illegible]
New Wylie Creek, C. April 27, P. May 6	[illegible]	[illegible]
Grafton Copper, P. April 30	1	0
VICTORIA.		
Perseverance Dredging, C. April 26, P. April 30	1	[illegible]
Tewkesbury Dredging, P. May 3	[illegible]	[illegible]
Tewkesbury Freehold	[illegible]	[illegible]
Morse's Creek, C. April 8, P. April 30	[illegible]	[illegible]
Junction Dredging, C. April 26, P. April 30	[illegible]	[illegible]
Junction Dredging, P. April 30	[illegible]	[illegible]
WESTERN AUSTRALIA.		
Black Range, C. April 26, P. May 3	[illegible]	[illegible]
Golden Horseshoe, P. April 30	[illegible]	[illegible]
South Kalgurli, P. May 8	1	0
TASMANIA.		
Hercules, P. May 1	1	0
Mount Bischoff, P. April 27	[illegible]	[illegible]
North Mount Farrell, C. May 24, P. June 1	1	0
QUEENSLAND.		
Mount Molloy, C. April 19, P. May 2	[illegible]	[illegible]
Endeavour and Leslie Tin, C. April 29, P. May 6	[illegible]	[illegible]

Yachtsmen will find a very interesting page in this week's issue of "The Sydney Mail" entitled "The End of the Season," with pictures of the Champion Yachts.—Advt.

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LOST, supposed in train, Blk. Silk Shawl. Reward at Mrs. Brown's Refreshment Rms., Royal Arcade.

LOST, between Campsie and Enmore, BOX DRAPERY. Reward. 184 Enmore-road.

LOST, Diamond Stone, opp. M. Foy, going on tram. Reward, G.G., Herald Office.

LOST, Friday afternoon, Fur, Margaret-st, between York and George sts. Rew., A.D., 7 York-st.

LOST, steamer Mlowera, Black Enamel Gold BROOCH, pearl set. Reward, 95 Bathurst-st.

LOST, bet. Randwick and city, G. Bracelet (rubies). Reward, Taylor, Tollington, Belmore-rd, Coogee.

LOST, Thursday, Tobacco Pouch, initials R.M.G. on shield. Reward, Gowing Bros.

LOST, Pendant and Chain, photo mother and dghtr., keepsake. Reward, 22 Linden Court, C'reagh-st.

LOST, a Pair Field GLASSES, April 13; £10 reward. H. Rourty, Kogarah.

LOST, Gold Cable BANGLE, bet. Kogarah and Q. V. Market; reward. N. Y., Kogarah P.O.

LOST, bet. Hargrave-st, Padd., and Geo.-st., Gold Star Broch, enam., 6 points. Rew., 151 Hargrave-st, P.

LOST, Tues., Beach-st or Priddle Est., a fawn Overcoat. Reward, Laloa, Durham-st, Dulwich Hill.

LOST, Purse, 2 Rings, Pendant, Heartstone, Zamia or Bourke sts., Redfern. Rew., 151 Young-st.

LOST, Dia. Pendant Brooch, gold chain attached. O. J. Mallam, Chem., Avoca-st, Randwick. £5 rew.

LOST, Glebe, Gold Medal, enam. front, with name on; reward. Kurtz, 21 Darghan-st, Glebe.

LOST, Gold WATCH and CHAIN bet. Erskineville and Enmore. Handsome rew. 11 Pemmell-st, Enmore.

LOST in Manly, 20th, Navy-blue Lady's COAT. Reward, College, Croydon.

LOST, PURSE, Leichhardt tram. Reward, A. B. Worth, 102 2nd Floor, Strand Arcade.

LOST, Gold GREENSTONE BANGLE, in city, padlock attached. Reward, 170 Forbes-st.

LOST, Rosella PARROT, reward. Kelton, Union and Stafford sts, Paddington.

LOST, in Yurong-lane, on Friday, Bunch of KEYS. Reward, 86 William-st.

LOST, Glebe, White Cockatoo, deformed leg. Reward, Chislehurst, The Mall, Glebe Point.

LOST, Gold Medal (to Little Reggie Brisbane); reward, H. Hellings, Pyrmont Baths.

LOST, April 19, in George-st, nr. Market-st, young Girl's Rels. Please return 112 Riley-st, Hyde Park.

LOST, a Gold Watch, on Waterfall-rd, owner's name inside. Rew. if ret. to No. 1 Wynyard-st, Sydney.

LOST, on board S.S. Yorck, Saturday, PHOTOS.; reward. Kent and Hodden, Pitt-st.

LOST, the Morning Headache, now that I stick to DICKENS WHISKY.

LOST, at Coogee terminus, 25th inst, Silver-mounted PURSE, keepsake, containing photo, papers, etc. Reward on returning to Mrs. MILLER, 55 Castlereagh-street, city.

LOST, in 4.15 Bow Bells 'Bus, or in Regent, Redfern, or George sts., Redfern, 2 Green PASS BOOKS; no use to anyone but owner. Finder kindly return to 117 George-street, Redfern.

LOST, Wednesday night, between Strathfield and Redfern, Carved Walnut CHAIR, upholstered; 7s 6d reward on returning to 40 Elizabeth-street, Redfern.

LOST, 4 Commercial Bank CHEQUES, drawn on Young, in favour of Mrs. Millard. 10s Reward if sent to W. S. MILLARD, Young. Payment stopped.

REWARD.—Lost, a Baby's Gold Cable Bangle, near Waters' Corner, Harkness, N.S.H.-rd, Double Bay.

REWARD £1.—Lost, at Enfield on April 18, bay Pony, unbroken, long tail. 6 Myrtle-st, L'hardt.

REWARD, £1.—Lost, brown Mare, 2 white hind feet, brand ENW (blurred). D. E. James, Penshurst.

PAIR R. Gold Specs., name on case, Fiegelbaum, bet. Sussex-st and Grace Bros. Rew. 384 Sussex-st.

FOUND, Bracelet, P'matta boat; owner have same descrip., pay. exps. Springvale, Mary-st, Gl'ville.

FOUND, M'ville, OVERCOAT. Apply, with description, E. D. Gilman, 51 Garner's-av., M'ville.

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The Literary Department of the Sydney Mail contains each week Original Essays and Papers of the most entertaining kind.
The Leaders and Leaderettes deal with current political and social topics.
The stories are the work of some of the leading authors of the world. Altogether this branch is bright and attractively written.

PROPERTY MARKET.

Business in real estate brightened up somewhat during the current week, and the turnover was of improved proportions. Suburban properties, especially those with water frontages, were in demand, while several large city holdings found satisfactory offers. Several sales, particulars of which will be found below, are advertised for to-day.

Richardson and Wrench, Ltd., report having sold by auction and private contract during the week the following properties:—Freehold land at Woonona, near Bulli, £1475; block of land, fronting Cook's River-road, St. Peters, £230; allotment of land, fronting Frederick-street, Rockdale, part of Sydham Hill Estate, £75; block of land at Bankstown, £183; two allotments of M'Gee's Estate subdivision, Marrickville, £115; and allotment, Smidmore's Estate, Marrickville, £50; and in conjunction with Messrs. Hardie and Gorman and Batt, Rodd, and Purves, Ltd., four allotments of Government subdivision of Centennial Park lands, £365.

Messrs. Hugh Duff and Co. report having sold by auction and private treaty the following properties:—Cottage residence, Shirley-road, Wollstonecraft, £1350; cottage residence, Hayden-street, Mosman, £900; cottage residence, Margaret-street, Strathfield, £825.

Arthur Rickard and Co., Limited, report having sold during the past week the following properties:—Lot 43, Carroll's Hill Estate, Kogarah, £37; sundry lots, Dellwood Park, Granville, £176; lots 56 and 39, section 2, Bankstown farmlets, Bankstown, £200; lot 10, section 2, Waterview Estate, Gore Hill, £33; lot 37D, Nepean Towers Estate, Douglas Park, £120; lot 10, Windermere Estate, Rookwood, £10; lot 25, Mount Pleasant Estate, Woy Woy, £29; lot 8, Bankstown model farmlets, on Little's-road, £60; lots 97, 98, 99, section 1, Quaker's Hill Estate, Blacktown, £134; lots 13 and 14, section C, Cornwall Estate, Rookwood, £30; lots 45 to 49, Willgrow Estate, Mortdale, £160; lot 36, section 1, Hillcrest Estate, Hurstville, £40; lot 3, Waldron Estate, Bankstown, £12.

Messrs. Hardie and Gorman report having sold by public auction and private treaty the following properties:—City, corner block, Pitt and Bathurst streets (opposite the Commercial Bank and Y.M.C.A. premises), with buildings thereon, £16,000; city, on the ground, last Saturday, under instructions from the Premier and Colonial Treasurer, 38 allotments of land at the corner of Park and Cook roads, £10,857; Katoomba, cottage fronting Lurline-street, £255; Bondi, cottage fronting Roscoe-street, £250; Waverley, allotment of land fronting Birrell-street, £170; Coogee, allotment Coogee Hill Estate, £51; Arncliffe, allotment Station Hill Estate, £24; Centennial Park lands (in conjunction with Richardson and Wrench, Ltd., and Batt, Rodd, and Purves, Ltd.), four allotments of land, £365.

Mr. R. N. Hislop reports having sold the following properties:—Villa, Centennial Park, £1000; 2 houses, Waverley-road, £1800; cottage, Waverley, £750; orchard, Thornleigh, £2000; cottage, Woollahra, £500; vacant land, Lang-road, Centennial Park, £750; Cottage, Woollahra, £300.

Mr. Benjamin James and Mr. Louis C. Henderson report the sale of shops at Burwood, £9250.

FORTHCOMING SALES.

Parramatta River.—Arthur Rickard and Co., Ltd., will hold a sale on the ground, at 3 this afternoon, of the River View Estate, Parramatta River. This estate is situated right at the Chiswick ferry wharf, and is in the municipality of Drummoyne. Easy terms are offered.

Watson's Bay.—Richardson and Wrench, Ltd., will submit for sale on the ground, at 3 this afternoon, the Vaucluse Estate, Watson's Bay. This estate commands an excellent position, overlooking the harbour, and occupies a position where the tram stops at New South Head-road and Hopetoun-avenue. The title is Torrens, and the terms are liberal.

Granville.—Mr. Arthur Blackwood will sell on the ground, at 3 o'clock this afternoon, the Football Club Estate, Granville. This estate is comprised of 80 liberal-sized allotments, and is within reasonable distance of the railway stations. Terms are easy.

Artarmon.—Messrs. Raine and Horne draw attention to their sale on the ground, at 3 o'clock this afternoon, of the Chatswood South Estate, situated at the corner of Longueville-road and Gordon-road, the proposed stopping place of the approved extension of the Gore Hill tram, and within a few minutes of Artarmon station. This estate comprises 50 large allotments, and overlooks the harbour, Parramatta and Lane Cove rivers, Hunter's Hill, Drummoyne, and the western suburbs. The title is Torrens, and the terms extend over five years.

See this week's issue of "The Sydney Mail" for an illustrated article of an educational character on "The Romantic Career of Benjamin Boyd."—Advt.

A striking picture of the German training ship Herzogin Sophie Charlotte, which sailed out of Sydney Harbour on Saturday, is among the many illustrations in "The Sydney Mail" this week.—Advt.

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BUILDERS.—Plans, speci., Cottages, Villas, fr. £1. Comp. draftsman. Brighton, 131 Jersey-rd, W'hra.

BUILDERS.—Sand, by rail or dray, at reasonable rates. W. Bourne, 39 Garden-st, Alexandria.

DRAINERS.—Tenders invited Drainage, new Villa, Gordon-crescent, Stanmore. Apply job, Monday.

N.S.W. INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF AND DUMB AND THE BLIND.

TO PAINTERS AND OTHERS.

TENDERS are invited until Noon on SATURDAY, May 11, for PAINTING the Superintendent's Residence. Specifications and particulars to be obtained at the office of the Hon. Architects.

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TENDERS WANTED for COTTAGE at ROCKDALE. Apply by letter for Plans. BALYMORE, Railway-avenue, Stanmore.

TO BUILDERS.—TENDERS are invited for the Erection of Cottage Residence, at Willoughby. SHERRARD M. BECHER, Architect, 167 Vickery's-chambers, 82 Pitt-street.

TENDERS, Drain Pipes, all sizes and fittings, Gullies, Grates, Pans, Traps, Sinkstones, all Sanitary ware. M. J. CONLON'S POTTERY, Broughton-street, Glebe, est. 1875. 'Phone, 81 Glebe.

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GENERAL SERVANT wanted for Beecroft; fare paid for an interview. Apply at Post Office, Beecroft.

GENERAL Servant wtd., sm. family. Apply Hazeldine, Shirley-rd, off Crow's Nest, North Sydney.

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GIRL, abt. 17, for Lindfield, h'hold duties, 10s. App. Mrs. Pickering, Dunoon, Whaling-rd, N. Sydney.

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HOUSEMEN (2), £7, 15s, private house; useful Boy, int. 10; Hmd., b'house, 12s. Campbell, 62 Eliz.-st.

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WANTED, resp. Boy, to drive pony turnout. Apply 629 Bourke-st, Surry Hills.

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7 p.m., Evening Prayer. Preacher, Rev. Dr. Pritchard.

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CHRIST CHURCH, ST. LAWRENCE.—Holy Communion, 7.30 a.m.; Mattins, 10.30 a.m.; Choral Eucharist (Agutter in B Flat) and Sermon, 11 a.m. Preacher, Rev. E. H. WEBBER. Children's Service, 3.45 p.m.; Litany, 7 p.m.; Evensong and Sermon, 7.15 p.m.

HOLY TRINITY, MILLER'S POINT.—11 a.m., H.C.; 7.15 p.m., Rev. S. G. Fielding. Subject, "Our Life After Death" (3). Solo, Mr. W. E. Davies.

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ST. JOHN'S, Glebe Point. Services, 8 a.m. (H.C.), 11 a.m., 7.15 p.m. S. S. Tovey, Rector.

ST. BARNABAS', Geo.-st W.—11, Rev. W. A. Charlton; 7, Rev. W. E. Godson, M.A.; Gleaners, H. C.

ST. PHILIP'S, Church Hill.—11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Preacher, Rev. H. T. Langley, M.A.

ST. THOMAS, BALMAIN.—10 a.m. and 7 p.m., ARCHDEACON DIXON.

ST. PAUL'S, Redfern.—To-morrow morning, Rev. A. C. Tranter; Evening, Rev. Canon Boyce.

ST. JOHN'S, Darlinghurst.—Holy Communion, 8 a.m. and 7.15 p.m. The Rector, 11 a.m. and 7.15 p.m.

ST. BARNABAS', Mill Hill-rd, Waverley, 11 and 7.15 (H.C.), Rev. W. D. V. Reid. All seats are free.

SYDNEY Rescue Work Society.—Meetg., Y.M.C.A. Hall, Tues., 8. Chair., Sir H. Stephen. Dr. Arthur.

ST. MATTHIAS' CHURCH, Paddington.—Rector, 11 a.m. and 7.15 p.m.; H.C., 7.15 p.m. Anthem, "With Angels;" Solo, "Abide with Me." Soloist, Miss NELLIE CARROLL.

ST. JAMES' CHURCH, KING-STREET.
Holy Communion, 8 and 9.
Litany, 8.45. Mattins and Sermon, 11.
Evensong and Sermon, 7.15.
Preacher, REV. J. KIRKLAND.

Presbyterian.

ANNANDALE.—Hunter-Baillie Memorial. Rev. J. S. Scott, 11, "Not Sufficient;" 7, "A Cry."

BURWOOD.—St. James' Presbyterian Church, Rev. R. Scott West. Forenoon, 11; and Evening, 7.15.

CHATSWOOD, Anderson-st.—Rev. Alex. McKinlay. 11 a.m. and 7.15, "The Story of Man."

CROW'S NEST.—Rev. W. H. Ash, 11 a.m. and 7.15 p.m.

CHALMERS CHURCH.—Fellowship Class, at 10, Rev. Angus King, at 11 and 7. Morning, "The Gospel of the Glory of the Blessed God." Evening, "The Word of God." Anthems—"Let God Arise," "Ye that Stand in the House," "The Eyes of all that Wait." Solo—"Abide with Me." Miss Rhoda McKechnie

DULWICH H.L.—11, Rev. J. Brown; 7.15, Evangelistic Service, Rev. R. Jennings.

FULLERTON Memorial Presbyterian Church, Crown and Albion streets, Surry Hills. Minister, Rev. D. Fenwick. Morning, 11, "The True Refuge of Life." Evening, 7.15, "The New Theology."

GLEBE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Morning and Evening, Rev. Dr. Clouston.

PADDINGTON.—11 a.m., "Our Father;" 7.15 p.m., "Go Forward." Rev. G. Chalmers.

PALMER ST.—Rev. J. T. Thorburn, B.A. Morning, 11; evening, 7.15.

PETERSHAM CHURCH, Gordon-st.—Rev. R. E. Davies, M.A., 11 a.m. and 7.15 p.m.

RANDWICK, Rev. C. H. Talbot.—11, "No Room for Christ"; 7.15, "The Dr. of Crow's Nest"—Practical Religion.

ST. ANDREW'S Presby. Church, Sydney.—Mr. C. M. Coombs, morn., 11; Mr. Evans, evg., 7, in Welsh.

ST. PETER'S N. Sydney, Presbyterian Church.—Rev. James Kinghorn, 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m.

STANMORE.—11 and 7 p.m., Rev. C. A. White, B.A.

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ST. GEORGE'S PRES. CH., Castlereagh-st.—Rev. Wm. M'Donald, pastor. Fellowship, etc, at 10. Divine Services, 11 and 7.

ST. LUKE'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, REDFERN.—Sunday Service, Morning, at 11; Evening, at 7. Mr. MANSFIELD.

SCOTS CHURCH, Church Hill, near Wynyard-sq.—Dr. DILL MACKY, 11 and 7. Subjects—Morning: The Mystery of Mysteries. Night: Creation Story, In the beginning God.

ST. STEPHEN'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Phillip-street.—Rev. JOHN FERGUSON, Minister.
Bible Class, 10 a.m.
Morning Service, 11, "GOD WHO WORKETH ALL IN ALL."
Evening Service, 7, THE MORTAL HOME-THRUST.
SERVICE OF SONG (Pilgrim's Progress), with Limelight Views, NEXT THURSDAY EVENING, at 7.4, in aid of Sabbath School.

ST. ENOCH'S, NEWTOWN.
The REV. W. W. WATTS, at 11 a.m. and 7.15 p.m.
A MAY DAY FETE, in aid of the New School Hall Building Fund, will be held in ODDFELLOWS' HALL, ENMORE-RD, NEWTOWN, on WEDNESDAY, May 1. The REV. DR. CLOUSTON will perform the opening ceremony, at 3 o'clock.
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WAVERLEY GRAHAME MEM., CHARING CROSS. Rev. J. MACAULAY, M.A.
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BURWOOD CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.
Morning, 11 o'clock.
Rev. LOYAL L. WIRT, B.D. (Brisbane).
Evening, 7.15 o'clock.
Rev. A. B. ROFE (Hobart).

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Newtown.—Rev. A. Rivett, of Albury, at 11 and 7.

CROYDON.—11, Rev. G. W. Sharp (of Hobart); 7.15, Rev. W. Mathison, B.A.

DULWICH HILL.—Australasian Union Preachers, 11, Rev. E. Davies, of Fremantle, W.A.; 7, Rev. Jos. King, of Melbourne.

HOMEBUSH Congregational Church.—Rev. G. Rayner, S. Aus., 11; Rev. E. Handel Jones, Vic., 7.15.

MARRICKVILLE CHURCH.—Morn: Rev. Dr. Gosman, President of Australasian Union; evg., 7.

MANLY.—Morning, 11, Rev. Walter Jones, of Brisbane; evening, 7, Rev. A. H. Wallace, Melbourne.

MOSMAN.—AUSTRALASIAN CONGREGATIONAL UNION, SPECIAL SERVICES.
11 a.m., Rev. J. Williams (Brisbane).
7.15 p.m., Rev. George Rayner (S. Australia).

NORTH SYDNEY CONGREG'L.—11 a.m., Rev. F. Pratt, M.A.; 7 p.m., Rev. W. H. Lewis.

OCEAN-STREET, WOOLLAHRA.—OPENING OF NEW PIPE ORGAN.—11, Rev. W. Cunliffe Jones; 7, Revs. J. C. Kirby and F. B. Cowling. Soloists: Miss Edith Fleming and Mrs. W. G. Hall.

PETERSHAM.—To-morrow, 11 a.m., Rev. J. J. Halley (Melb.); 7 p.m., Rev. E. Davies (Fremantle).

PITT STREET.—11, Rev. W. T. Kench; 7, Rev. F. V. Pratt, M.A. Evening Anthems, "The Radiant Morn" (Woodward), "Ye Shall Dwell in the Land" (Stainer). Solo, "Nearer my God to Thee" (Idle). Miss Emily Marks.

REDFERN.—Rev. Handel Jones, at 11; Rev. Loyal L. Wirt, B.A., 7. Mthly. Praise Serv. Spec. music.

ROCKDALE.—Morn., 11, Rev. J. BARTON, Chairman Cong. Union, Vic. Evening, 7, Rev. N. J. COCKS, M.A.

SYDNEY Rescue Work Society.—Meetg., Y.M.C.A. Hall, Tues., 8. Chair., Sir H. Stephen. Dr. Arthur.

SUMMER HILL.—Aust. Cong. Union Sunday, special preacher at 11, Rev. A. B. Rofe (Hobart); at 7, Rev. W. T. Kench (Perth, W.A.).

WOOLLAHRA CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH. Jersey-road.
Rev. JOSEPH ROBERTSON, M.A., 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

WHITEFIELD CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH. PROTESTANT HALL.
REV. E. TREMAYNE DUNSTAN.
11.—Subject, "The Unpardoned Sin."
7.—Subject, "Absolom—a character study."
Anthems.—Morning: "O, Praise Lord" (Goss). Evening: "O, Father, whose Almighty Power" (Handel).

Methodist.

CENTRAL METHODIST MISSION. Consecration Service at Centenary Hall, York-st, TO-NIGHT, 7.30.
CENTENARY HALL.—11 a.m., Family Service, Rev. E. J. Rodd; 7 p.m., Rev. W. G. Taylor, "The Autocracy of Christ."
LYCEUM HALL.—7.30 p.m., Mr. R. Murray.
RAWSON HALL.—7 p.m., Rev. A. J. Burt.
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MOSMAN.—Morning, at 11, Dr. Sellors; Evening, at 7, Rev. Thos. Parker.

NEWTOWN METHODIST SUNDAY SCHOOL Anniversary Services, SUNDAY, April 28th.
Preachers.—11 a.m., Rev. W. G. Taylor; 3 p.m., Rev. J. E. Metcalfe; 7 p.m., Rev. J. W. Collier.
Special Music at each Service. Monday, 29th inst., at 8 p.m., Annual Meeting and Musical Festival. From Tuesday to Saturday (each Evening), a Conversazione, in the School Hall, opened by Hon. C. G. Wade, Esq.

RANDWICK.—11, Rev. R. H. Rickard; 7.15, Student Redman. Soloist, ev., Miss M. White, L.L.C.M.

STANMORE.—11, Rev. Andrew Holliday, LL.B.; 7, Rev. B. Danks.

WILLIAM-STREET CHURCH ANNIVERSARY.—11, Rev. M. Reavley; 7, Rev. R. H. Rickard, "Our Father." ANNUAL SOCIAL on Tuesday. Chair taken 7.45 by Mr. H. P. Palser. Special music all servs.

WAVERLEY.—11, Rev. T. B. Holmes; 7, Choral Service, Rev. T. F. Potts.
SPECIAL MUSIC.
Soloist, Miss Amy Pepper.

WESLEY CHURCH, CHIPPENDALE.—Mr. J. Blanksby at 11, Rev. W. W. Roger at 7. Bright services.
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BAPTIST CHURCH, Petersham.—Dr. Thos. Porter, 11 and 7. Seats free. All welcome.

BATHURST-ST CHURCH.—Rev. Jas. Barker. Morning, "Pilgrimage;" evening, "Cain and Paul."

BURWOOD.—11 a.m., Mr. J. Fryer; 7.15, Mr. Esay. All seats free, everyone welcome.

BURTON-ST Tabernacle.—11, Mr. F. J. Yarrow; 7, Mr. Chas. Lane. All welcome, seats free.

DULWICH HILL.—11, Temperance Sermon; 7, "God for us." M.G. (Ladies) L.O.L., 249. Rev. W. Dobbie.

HARRIS-ST.—11, 7, Rev. L. H. Field; Wednesday, 7.45, Lantern Lecture, Mr. R. Powell, C.I.M.

NTH. SYDNEY, Ernest-st. Tram Stop, Rev. D. Steed. —11, "Servant of God' Proof"; 7, "Eden Story."

NEWTOWN.—11, "Spirituality." Rev. E. Price; 7, Baptismal Service, Rev. J. S. Rankins.

PARTICULAR BAPTIST CHURCH, Castlereagh-street.
Foreign Mission Services, 11 a.m., 7 p.m.
PASTOR F. FULLARD.

STANMORE Baptist Church.—11 and 7, Rev. C. J. Tinsley. Prayer Meeting, 7, 10 a.m. Baptism S. E.

STRICT BAPTIST CHURCH. Oddfellows' Temple, Elizabeth-st.—11 a.m. and 7.15 p.m. Mr. Fremlin.

SYDNEY Rescue Work Society.—Meetg., Y.M.C.A. Hall, Tues., 8. Chair., Sir H. Stephen. Dr. Arthur.

Churches of Christ.

CHRIST CHURCH, Enmore Tabernacle.—11, 7, Geo. T. Walden, M.A.

CITY TEMPLE, Campbell-st, Sydney, S. G. Griffith, Evangelist, from America. 11 and 7 (evening, "The Bible; its use and abuse"); Tues., 30, Eve., 6.30, Tea; 8, P. Meet., wel. Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Griffith.

TABERNACLE, Cannon-st, P'sham.—11, Worsh.; 7, A. E. Illingworth, "A Hive of B's." All welc.

NTH. Syd. Masonic Hall, 7, The Drink Question; "Is the Young Man Safe?" D. Ewers, Evangelist.

PADDINGTON-ST, Paddington.—11, Lord's Supper; 7.30, Thos. Hagger, on "The Tears of Jesus."

Other Services, &c.

UNITARIAN CHURCH, HYDE PARK. REV. GEORGE WALTERS.
11 a.m., The Rejected Stone.
7 p.m., MARIE CORELLI'S "SORROWS OF SATAN."
Solos and Duet by
Miss Marion Munro and Miss K. Cumings.
NEXT TUESDAY,
A NOVELTY EVENING. See Amusements Column.

ADVANCED RELIGIOUS THOUGHT.—Rev. Dr. ZILLMAN, Minister of the New Unitarian Society, To-morrow Evening, Queen's Hall Clubroom (floor), 7.15. Subj.: "Under the Clouds." Mrs. Weekes assists.

A FREE PUBLIC LECTURE, SUNDAY, 7 p.m. Sub., "God's New Earth." Sydney Christadelphian Ecclesia, 412 Elizabeth-street (near Devonshire-street).

CHINA Inland Mission.—Prayer Meeting this Aftn., 3 o'clock, Y.W.C.A., C'reagh-st. Leader, Mr. Lack.

CHRISTADELPHIANS.—I.O.O.F. TEMPLE, Mr. John Bell Lectures Sunday, 7 p.m.

CHURCH OF SEERS, Queen's Hall, 3 p.m., address by Madame Nordicia, followed by Madame Marguerite (The Coming Political Crisis). Public cordially invited. Circles, etc., Messages to all.

CHRISTADELPHIAN EXPOSED.—A Series of Addresses will be delivered in Queen's Hall, Pitt-street, by Mr. Herbert Davies (representing Christ's Brethren), commencing TUESDAY, April 30, at 8 o'clock. First Address, The Resurrection of Christ. Addresses following Tuesdays advt. All inv. No collec.

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GOSPEL Tent, Park-rd, Paddington, Sunday, 7.15, subj., "The two Resurrections." Evangelist Poop.

GENESIS and Creation.—Canon Archdall's 3rd Thurs. Eve Lecture, Bible Socy. Hall, 7.45. Questions.

INDEPENDENT Meetings, Queen's Hall (main hall), every Sunday evening, 7.15. Lecturer, I. Crawford Bradley; subject, "Review of Australia's past Civilisation and forecast of her future Greatness." Collection.

MADAME MARGUERITE, Meeting, Sunday, 7.30; Seance, Monday, 8. 96 High-st, Newtown.

MRS. M. Francis, Seance Sunday night, 7.30. 105 Booth-st, Annandale, off Trafalgar-st.

MASONIC HALL, Castlereagh street, near Goulburn-street.—GOSPEL MEETING, 7.15 p.m. Addresses by Messrs. MUIR and LOUDON.
Seats free. No Collection.

NEW Church Hall (Thomas-st).—Wednesday, May 1, "Our Conception of God." Mr. Manfield Newtown.

NEWTOWN SPIRITUALISTIC ASSOCIATION, No. 2, St. George's Hall, 7.15. Mr. J. F. Bostock, Pres., of 30 Missenden-road. Address: Job's Record of Spirit Return. Chap. 4-15. Bright music. Sil. Coin Collection.
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PHILOSOPHICAL SOCIETY.—QUEEN'S HALL, Pitt-street, SUNDAY, 7.15 p.m. Discussion: "The Evolution Hypothesis False." Opener, Mr. J. B. Steel. Public invited.

SEARCH AFTER GOD.—New Church Hall, Thomas-st, 11, Mr. W. J. Spencer.

SPIRITUALISM.—Mr. and Mrs. Sullivan, Sun., 7.30, Side entrance, 279 Pitt-st, upstairs.

SPIRITUAL Meeting, Sunday night, 7.30, 80 King-st, Newtown, near Avenue. Madame Laverna.

SPIRITUAL Meeting, Sunday evg., 7.30, Mrs. Smith, 63 Missenden-rd, Camperdown, opp. P. A. Hospital.

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SPIRITUALISM.—Mrs. STEINMAN, priv. dly., 11-5; no meet Sunday. 48 Redfern-st, opp. park.

SYDNEY THEOSOPHICAL SOCIETY, Concordia Hall, 148 Elizabeth-street.—Mr. G. H. CHAPPEL will Lecture at 7.30 p.m., SUNDAY, 28th April, on "THE FUTURE PROGRESS OF HUMANITY." Book Depot and Lending Library, Hoskings-buildings, Spring-street.

SPIRITUALISTS' ADVANCE AND RESEARCH SOCIETY, LEIGH HOUSE.—SUNDAY, 7.15 p.m., Lecture by Mr. A. Watson, B.S.A., "Bible Myths" (Illustrated). How Christ Performed Miracles. Questions. Collection.
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LEGAL NOTICES.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of FRANCES ELIZABETH EMMA KELSEY, late of Waverley, near Sydney, in the State of New South Wales, Widow, deceased.—Notice is hereby given that the Second Accounts in the above Estate have this day been filed in my office, Chancery-square, Sydney; and all persons having any claim on the said Estate, or being otherwise interested therein, are hereby required to come in before me at my said office on or before the twenty-ninth day of May, at 12.30 o'clock in the afternoon, and inspect the same, and if they shall think fit object thereto; otherwise if the said accounts be not objected to the same will be examined by me and passed according to law. Dated this twenty-sixth day of April, in the year 1907. R. C. MONDAY, Acting Registrar. E.S. J. D. SLY, Proctor for the Executors, Union Bank-chambers, Pitt and Hunter streets, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES. —Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Estate of AMELIA PLEDGE, late of Summerhill-street, Lewisham, in the State of New South Wales (Widow of the late WILLIAM CHARLES PLEDGE), deceased.—NOTICE is hereby given that all Creditors and other persons having any debt or claim upon or affecting the estate of AMELIA PLEDGE, the abovenamed deceased, who died on the twenty-sixth day of December, one thousand nine hundred and four, and Probate of whose Will with the Codicil thereto was granted by the Supreme Court of New South Wales, in its Probate Jurisdiction, on the seventeenth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and five, to WILLIAM DALMAS, of Villiers-street, Parramatta, in the said State, and JOSEPH DONISTHORPE THOMPSON, of Malcolm-street, Erskineville, near Sydney aforesaid, the Executors in the said Will named, are hereby required to send in particulars of their claims to the said Executors or to the undersigned LEIBIUS and BLACK, Proctors for the said Executors, on or before the thirteenth day of June next, at the expiration of which time the said Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard to the debts and claims only of which they shall then have had notice; and the said Executors will not be liable for the assets so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution. Dated this twenty-fifth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and seven. LEIBIUS and BLACK (late JOHN DAWSON and SON), Proctors for the said Executors, 164 Pitt-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES. —Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of HENRY MORAS, late of Rhine Vineyard, Corowa, in the State of New South Wales, Vigneron, deceased.—PURSUANT to the Wills Probate and Administration Act, 1898, notice is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims upon or being otherwise interested in the Estate of the abovenamed deceased (who died at Corowa aforesaid on the nineteenth day of December, 1904) are hereby required to send in full particulars of their claims to the undersigned, the Proctor for the Executrix and Executors of the Will of the said deceased, before the eighth day of June next, after which date the said Executrix and Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims to which they shall then have notice, and the said Executrix and Executors will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim they shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution. Dated this twenty-second day of April 1907. E. REGINALD NICOLSON, Proctor for the Executrix and Executors, Corowa. By his Agent: FRANK A. DAVENPORT, Solicitor, 81 Pitt-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES. —Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Estate of EDWARD HARVEY KATER, late of Mumblebone, near Warren, in the State of New South Wales, Grazier, deceased.—Notice is hereby given that the fourth Accounts in the above Estate have this day been filed in my office, Queen's-square, King-street, Sydney, and all persons having any claim on the said Estate, or being otherwise interested therein, are hereby required to come in before me at my said office on or before the 30th day of May, at 11.30 o'clock in the forenoon, and inspect the same, and if they shall think fit object thereto; otherwise if the said Accounts be not objected to the same will be examined by me and passed according to law. And notice is also hereby given that on the allowance of the said Accounts by the Court commission will be applied for on behalf of the Trustees. Dated this 26th day of April, in the year 1907. R. C. MONDAY, Acting Registrar. EDWARD SMITH DUNHILL, Solicitor for Trustees, 1 Bligh-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES. —Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Estate of ROBERT WILLIAM DOOLAN, late of Gunnedah, in the State of New South Wales, Auctioneer and Commission Agent, deceased, Intestate.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Administration of the Estate of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to EMILY CATHERINE PARNELL, of Curlewis, Married Woman, a daughter of the said deceased. And Notice is hereby given that application will be made that the usual Administration Bond may be dispensed with. And all Creditors are requested forthwith to send in their claims to, and all notices may be served at the office of, the undersigned. WILLIAM EDMUND BYRNE, Proctor for the Applicant, Gunnedah. By his Agent, W. M. DALEY, 14 Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Estate of ANNE BRODERICK, late of McAlister, near Crookwell, in the State of New South Wales, Widow, deceased, intestate.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Administration of the Estate of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to JOHN JOSEPH BRODERICK, the eldest Son of the said deceased; and Notice is hereby given that application will also be made that the usual bond may be dispensed with, and all notices may be served at the office of the undersigned, to whom creditors are hereby required to send in their claims. JOHN CONNELLAN, Proctor for the Applicant, Crookwell. By McDONELL and MOFFITT, Mutual Life Association Buildings, George and Wynyard streets, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES. —Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of ALEXANDER McGRUER, late of Ruthven, Douglas-street, Dulwich Hill, near Sydney, in the State of New South Wales, Gentleman, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the last Will of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to MARGARET MACQUEEN McGRUER, the sole Executrix named in the said Will; and all notices may be served at, and all creditors are requested to send their claims to, the offices of the undersigned. JOHN WILLIAMSON and SONS, Proctors for the Executrix, 163 King-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES. —Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of CHARLES HENRY GRIFFITH, late of George-street, Waterloo, near Sydney, in the State of New South Wales, Landowner, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the last Will of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to EMILY GRIFFITH, the sole Executrix named in the said Will; and all notices may be served at, and all creditors are requested to send their claims to, the offices of the undersigned. JOHN WILLIAMSON and SONS, Proctors for the Executrix, 163 King-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES. —Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of THOMAS KEEVERS, late of Jamberoo, in the District of Kiama and State of New South Wales, Farmer, deceased.—Take NOTICE that application is being made that Probate of the last Will and Testament of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to JOHN NELSON and ALFRED JOHNSTON HILL, the Executors named in the said Will; and all notices and claims on the Estate may be served at the office of the undersigned. Dated this twenty-fifth day of April, A.D. 1907. KIERAN RYAN, Proctor for Executors, Kiama. By his Agent: A. W. E. WEAVER, Martin-place, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of MARY FOGGO, late of Balmain, in the State of New South Wales, Widow, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the last Will of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to HELEN ISABELLE DRENNAN, the sole Executrix named in the said Will; and all notices may be served at the office of the undersigned, THOMAS J. DICKSON, Solicitor, 127 King-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of HANNAH MIRA FUCHS, late of George-street, Erskineville, near Sydney, in the State of New South Wales, Widow, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the last Will of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to MICHAEL RUSSELL, of Erskineville aforesaid, Grocer, and JACOB FUCHS, of Camden, in the said State, Basketmaker, the Executors named in the said Will; and all notices may be served at 141 George-street, Erskineville. M. RUSSELL, 141 George-street, Erskineville. JACOB FUCHS, Basketmaker, Camden.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES. —Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Estate of JAMES McMAHON, late of Mary-street, Grafton, in the State of New South Wales, Traveller, deceased, intestate.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Administration of the Estate of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to KATHERINE McMAHON, the Widow of the said deceased; and all notices may be served on the applicant, at care of J. HUTCHINGS, Southgate. KATHERINE McMAHON, Southgate.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES. —Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of OTTO ERNEST AUGUST LUDWIG ALBERS, late of Hercules-street, Chatswood, in the State of New South Wales, Draftsman.—Application will be made after 14 days from the publication hereof that Probate of the last Will of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to ROBERT TODD FORSYTH, the Executor named in the said Will; and all notices may be served at the office of the undersigned, and all persons having any claims against the Estate of the abovenamed deceased are hereby required to send in notice and particulars of their claims to the undersigned. FITT CHARLES PETRIE, Proctor for Executor, 58 Elizabeth-street, Sydney.

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On Account of Whom It May Concern.

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DENT and PERRY will sell by auction, at Newtown Station, THIS DAY, at 7 o'clock, Wood, etc.

DENT and PERRY will sell by auction, at Darling Harbour, THIS DAY, at 8 o'clock, Wood, etc.

DENT and PERRY will sell by auction, at Redfern Station, THIS DAY, at 9.15. Hay, Straw, Chaff, Maize, Pumpkins, Potatoes. DENT and PERRY, Auctioneers, 381 Sussex-street.

HORSES, HORSES, HORSES,

CAMPERDOWN YARDS.

TUESDAY NEXT, AT 2 P.M.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions to sell by auction, as above.

On account Mr. W. SELLERS, Melven.

20 First-class Horses, comprising a few really good heavy draughts, including a very fine Chestnut, 6 years old, worthy of special attention; also upstanding light harness Horses, among which is an upstanding dark brown Gelding, 16.2.

On account Messrs. BUDD and FERNS, Contractors, Sydney.

10 Specially Good Heavy Draught Colts and Fillies, 3 to 5 years old, all in the pink of condition, unbroken.

These are described as equal to any yarded in this market for some considerable time past.

Also,

10 Staunch Heavy Draught Geldings and Mares, 4 to 6 years old, all splendid workers, being sold for no fault, but solely on account of the owners having finished a contract.

HORSES, HORSES, HORSES.

CAMPERDOWN YARDS.

WEDNESDAY NEXT, AT 2 P.M.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions to sell by auction, as above.

On account Mr. E. TUMETH, Nymenghar.

40 Heavy and Active Draughts and strong upstanding Light Horses, all 4 to 6 years, in splendid condition, broken and unbroken. Among the lot is an upstanding black Gelding, suitable for an undertaker.

On account Mr. W. HANLON, Avondale.

40 First-class Horses, comprising strong light harness horses, suitable for cabs, sociables, bakers' and butchers' carts, and general business use; also heavy and medium Draughts, all 4, 5, and 6 years old, in top condition, principally broken in.

ST. MARYS CATTLE SALE.

SATURDAY NEXT, MAY 4,

AT 11.30 A.M. SHARP.

450 HEAD. 450 HEAD.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON will sell by auction as above. The following are the particulars of the various lots advised up to the present:—

100 Choice Dairy Heifers, 2 years old.

60 Steers, 9 to 12 months old.

25 Head, comprising 15 Store Cows, and 10 prime fat Cattle, the latter fit for the butcher.

30 Head, comprising 15 good 2 and 3 years old Dairy Heifers, and 15 Store Cows.

40 newly-calved Cows and Springing Cows and Heifers.

130 Head, consisting of 80 really good Dairy Heifers, 12 months to 2½ years; and 50 well-grown Steers, 12 to 18 months old, and Store Cows.

75 Head, consisting of 15 Jersey Heifers, 18 months to 2 years old; 55 choice Dairy Heifers, 18 months to 2 years old, and 6 good yearling Steers.

TRAIN leaves Sydney at 10.15 a.m., returning at 5.42 and 6.47 p.m.

HORSES, 100 HEAD. HORSES. 100.

LIVERPOOL,

THIS DAY, SATURDAY, at 11 o'clock sharp.

J. H. BEALE will sell as above.

Full particulars last Thursday's Herald and Telegraph.

TRAINS leave Sydney 9.30 This Morning, returning 5.30 and 6.31 p.m.

NEWMARKET SALEYARDS, ST. MARYS.

THIS DAY, SATURDAY, 27th APRIL, 1907.

654 CHOICE DAIRY AND STORE CATTLE. 654

WEAVER and PERRY will sell by auction, as above, at their Newmarket Saleyards, St. Marys, THIS DAY, SATURDAY, 27th inst., at 12.30 p.m. sharp, 654 Choice Dairy and Store Cattle, comprising:—

ON ACCOUNT H. S. THOMPSON, Esq., VICTORIA.

100 superior Jersey Heifers, silver greys and lemon fawns, extra good quality, 9 to 18 months old.

3 Purebred Jersey Cows, prize winners.

1 Purebred Jersey Bull. Pedigree at sale.

100 Really Choice Dairy Heifers, 18 months to 2 years old.

30 really Choice Dairy Cows, forward springers, from 1 to 4 weeks off calving.

Mr. Thompson states this lot is the best he has ever forwarded.

ON ACCOUNT VARIOUS OWNERS.

40 Choice Cows and Heifers, forward springers, from 1 to 4 weeks off calving.

50 Superior Dairy Heifers, 2 to 2½ years old; a grand lot.

260 Steers, 12 to 18 months old.

20 Store Cows, in good condition.

50 Dairy Heifers, 12 to 18 months old.

N.B.—Train leaves Sydney at 10.15 on morning of sale. Competent Drovers in attendance.

WEAVER and PERRY, 364 Pitt-street, Sydney.

BLACKTOWN SALEYARDS.

FRIDAY, MAY 3, AT 11 O'CLOCK,

500 HEAD. 500 HEAD. 500 HEAD.

THOMPSON and HARDMAN will offer

On account of MARK H. REYNOLDS, Esq., Prospect, the whole of his Specially Selected and Choice DAIRY HERD, consisting of

35 Heavy Milkers, in full milk;

40 High quality Backward and Forward Springers;

55 Choice Dairy Heifers, up to 3 years.

1 Pedigree Jersey Bull.

1 Pedigree Ayrshire Bull.

The above Herd is the result of several years' breeding and grading regardless of cost, to obtain the highest result in the pail, and is second to none in Australia. Mr. Reynolds sells right out; none held back for sale privately.

Also, on account of Various Owners.

50 Choice Young Dairy Heifers, 12 months old.

25 Well-grown Dairy Heifers, 3 years old.

20 Choice and well-grown Dairy Heifers, 2 years old.

25 Choice Dairy Heifers, 18 months to 2 years.

25 Exceptionally Choice Dairy Heifers, 18 months to 2½ years.

20 Choice Heifers, 2½ years, in calf to Pedigree Jersey Bull.

50 Backward and Springing Cows, of good quality.

24 Young Cows, from Camden district.

20 Newly-calved Cows, with calves at foot.

27 First-class Steers, well grown.

30 Poddy Steers.

20 Well-grown Bullocks, 3 years.

1 Pedigree Shorthorn Bull, bred by J. Tate, Kangaroo Valley.

2.45 P.M. HORSES. 2.45 P.M.

33 Draught Mares, Horses, Colts, Fillies, Van, and Light Horses.

Trains to Blacktown 9.0 a.m., 10.15 a.m., 1.30 p.m. (Horses).

Trains from Blacktown 3.26, 4.0, 4.57, 5.55 p.m., etc.

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OF

SUPERIOR DAIRY HERD, HORSES, VEHICLES, FARMING IMPLEMENTS, DAIRY PLANT.

SHERWOOD GRANGE, MERRYLANDS, nr. Granville.

TUESDAY, APRIL 30, 1907.

AT 12 O'CLOCK.

THOMPSON and HARDMAN have received instructions from Mr. MULLALY to sell at SHERWOOD GRANGE, the above, comprising—

18 Milch Cows, on 1st and 2nd calves.

15 Forward Springers, coming 2nd calf.

27 Backward Springers, Heifers, 2 to 3 years.

8 Poddies.

1 Roan Durham Bull.

The above Herd has been carefully selected, and consists of Ayrshire and Ayrshire-Durham grades of the very best milking strain.

2 Horses.

8 Pigs.

1 Spring Cart, 1 Double-seated Buggy, 1 American Milk Waggon, 1 Dray, 1 Set Buggy Harness, 1 Set Spring Cart Harness.

Agricultural Implements, consisting of 1-Horse Gear and Chaff Cutter, 1 Plough, 1 Harrow, 1 Cultivator, 1 Roller.

Dairy Plant and Utensils, consisting of—Separator, Cooler, and Tanks, Churn, 6 10-gallon Milk Cans, etc.

Poultry, Sundries, Egg Boxes, Clover Cutter, Brooder, etc. Tools and Sundries.

COACHES will meet train leaving Sydney at 11 a.m.

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ANNUAL SALE.

DURHAM COURT THOROUGHBRED GELDINGS AND FILLIES.

SIRES: JOLLY HAMPTON (imp.), RUSSLEY (imp.), and HAVOC.

GARVEN AND COUSENS have received instructions from the Executors of the Estate of the late CHARLES BALDWIN to sell by public auction, at the Municipal Sale Yards, Tamworth, on THURSDAY, MAY 16th (second day of Tamworth Races), commencing at 10 a.m. sharp, their annual draft, comprising:—

17 Head of Thoroughbred GELDINGS and FILLIES, all 2 years old, by Jolly Hampton (imp.), Russley (imp.), and Havoc.

Catalogues giving full particulars and pedigrees on application.

TERMS CASH.

HORSES. HEAD 80 HEAD.

MUSWELLBROOK, 30th APRIL, 1907, 11 a.m.

TINDALE and CO. will sell, as above (including 65 Ayrdale Estate Horses, CLEARING SALE), consisting of

Saddle and Light Harness Horses

Draughts, Ponies

One Heavy Draught Stallion, 2 years off.

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TUESDAY, 30th APRIL, 1907,

AT 11 O'CLOCK.

HIGHLY IMPORTANT SALE BY AUCTION,

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ABSOLUTELY WITHOUT RESERVE.

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41. 1 Case DITTO, DITTO PLATES, 8-inch.

43. 1 Case DITTO, DITTO, PLATES, 6 and 7 inch.

S. over V.S.L.

106-8. 3 Cases TUMBLERS, 1 Pint, Plain, each 15 dozen.

109-10 112. 3 Cases TUMBLERS, ½ Pint, Plain, each 25 dozen.

113-6. 4 Cases TUMBLERS, ½ Pint, Engraved, each 25 dozen.

118. 1 Case CUT NOBBLERS, 40 dozen.

122-6. 5 Cases TUMBLERS, Moulded, each 30 dozen.

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2 Cases SUNRISE ALARM CLOCKS.

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J. and S. over Sydney.

1 Case SOCKING PAPER, 20 Rolls.

Ex INVERTAY.

P. and Co. in Diamond over S.

5 CASES ELECTROPLATED WARE,

Cruets, Salts and Spoons, Sugars and Sifters, Biscuits, Toast Racks, Jams, White, Green, Ruby, and Red and Green Marmalades.

Also,

7 Cases PERFUMERY, SOAPS, AND PILLS.

And

130 SETS CARVERS, in Cases.

100 WATERBURY CLOCKS, with Bronzes.

50 BREAKFAST CRUETS, 4-hole.

S. H. HARRIS AND COMPANY have received instructions to SELL the above by AUCTION, at the Mart, 124, 126, and 128 CASTLEREAGH-STREET, on TUESDAY NEXT, 30th APRIL, at 11 o'clock.

THURSDAY, 2nd MAY, 1907,

AT 11 O'CLOCK.

TO BOOT AND SHOE MANUFACTURERS.

IMPORTANT SALE BY AUCTION,

on the premises,

TRAFALGAR-STREET, NEWTOWN.

ON ACCOUNT OF WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

In the assigned estate of Messrs. GOW BROS.

BALANCE OF THE UNSOLD

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This Engine has only been in use about four months, and is practically new. Cost £225.

CONSOLIDATED LASTER, cost £350.

Singer's and Jones's Sewing Machines, Twin Needle and Button Machines, Heel and Edge Trimmers and Scourers' Cutting Presses, Sets In and Outsole Knives, Scivers' Columbia Beading Machine, Mobbs's Blocking Machine, Tools and Sundries. About 5000 pairs Wooden Finishing Lasts, plain and iron soles.

CROSSLEY GAS ENGINE, R Type, about 20-h.p. (This Engine is stored with J. Hinds and Co., Engineers, 45 Bullanaming-street, Redfern, where intending buyers are invited to inspect it.)

Also,

THE VALUABLE FREEHOLD PREMISES.

THE LAND, having a frontage of 120 feet to Trafalgar-street, on which is erected a 3-storied Brick Factory, with engine-room and outbuildings complete, suitable for any description of manufacturing.

IF THE PREMISES ARE NOT SOLD, A LEASE OF SAME WILL BE OFFERED.

S. H. HARRIS AND COMPANY have received instructions to SELL the above BY AUCTION, on the premises, TRAFALGAR-STREET, NEWTOWN, on THURSDAY NEXT, 2nd MAY, at 11 O'CLOCK.

C. F. W. LLOYD, GENERAL AUCTIONEER and VALUATOR.

All matters in connection with Sales of Real Estate, Stocks, Household Furniture, Machinery, etc., undertaken, and Account Sales promptly rendered. VALUATIONS MADE and INVENTORIES PREPARED for Probate and other purposes. Offices, DENMAN-CHAMBERS, 182 PHILLIP-STREET.

POTTS POINT.

ESTATE MRS. M. S. E. HAYDEN, DECEASED.

Under Instructions from THE EXECUTOR.

TUESDAY, MAY 14th, at 11 o'clock.

AT THE RESIDENCE,

NO. 109 MACLEAY-STREET, POTTS PT.

The Whole of the SUPERIOR AND COSTLY HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and APPOINTMENTS, including—

GLASSWARE, RARE CHINA, VALUABLE ORNAMENTS, OIL PAINTINGS, ELECTROPLATE, CARPETS, LINOLEUMS, and RUGS, DINING and DRAWING ROOM SUITES, in MAHOGANY AND ROSEWOOD,

PIANOFORTE, by COLLARD and COLLARD.

FINE OLD FRENCH CABINETS.

Gilt Overmantels, Wall Mirrors, Whatnots

Large and Small Centre Ottomans

Occasional Chairs and Tables

Enclosed Bookcase with Glass Doors.

The Contents of SEVERAL WELL-FURNISHED BEDROOMS AND BEDROOM APPOINTMENTS, comprising—

HIGHLY FINISHED SUITES in MAHOGANY, WALNUT, ASH, and POLISHED PINE.

DOUBLE and SINGLE BEDSTEADS and BEDDING, complete,

CHEVAL GLASS, CHESTS of DRAWERS, WASHSTANDS.

KITCHEN and LAUNDRY APPURTENANCES, Garden Tools and Sundries.

***On View MONDAY AFTERNOON, 6th MAY, from 2 o'clock till 5 p.m., and on Morning prior to Sale. CATALOGUES IN COURSE OF PREPARATION.

C. F. W. LLOYD has received instructions from the Executor to sell the whole of the Household Furniture and Appointments at 109 Macleay-street, on TUESDAY, MAY 14th, at 11 o'clock.

TERMS CASH.

Offices, 182 PHILLIP-STREET.

Telephone, 1236.

THIS DAY, AT 3 O'CLOCK. MIDDLETON and CO. sell by auction, at No. 170 GEORGE-STREET WEST, Single and Double Bedsteads, Bedding, Marble Slab Toilet Pair, Wardrobe, Overmantel, Handsome Sideboard, Chest of Drawers, Pictures, Ornaments, Glass Fr. Dresser, Tables, Chairs

MONDAY NEXT, APRIL 29th, at 11 o'clock, at BELLVUE HALL, 472 KENT-STREET,

The HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS of 28 Rooms, being the contents of large Boarding-house.

A. BARNETT has received instructions from Mrs. Mullens to sell, ABSOLUTELY WITHOUT RESERVE, the Council having resumed the Property.

THIS DAY, at 3 p.m.—JAMES LEAN will sell by auction at 554 Parramatta-road, Leichhardt, Household Furniture, Bedsteads, Bedding, Sideboards, Large Cedar Bookcase, and Books, Chairs, Tables, Kitchen Utensils, Tools, Nails, 2 Large Cramps, and Sundries.

FISHER and CO. will sell by auction, at Camperdown Saleyards, at 2 p.m., Saturday, 27th inst., Horses, Harness, Sulkies, and Vans of all descriptions. PRATT, Auctioneer.

BUILDING MATERIALS. BUILDING MATERIALS. SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION, THIS AFTERNOON, at 3 o'clock, on the Premises, 212 ROSE-STREET, DARLINGTON, between CODRINGTON and GOLDEN GROVE STS, at the rear of the BLIND ASYLUM, comprising

CASTIRON ENAMEL BATH, equal to new.

8 Box Frames and Sashes, complete, with weights.

9 Pairs of MODERN FRENCH CASEMENTS.

20 HALF-GLASS MARGIN Light Doors and 4-Panel Doors, Ledge Doors, and Frames.

Cedar Panelling and Office Partitions.

140 SHEETS of GALVANISED IRON.

2000 feet 4 x 2½ H'WOOD, 12 and 14 ft lengths.

1000 feet 6 x 2½, 5 x 2½, 4 x 2, 3 x 1 Battens.

FLOORING and LINING BOARDS, PALINGS, Etc.

And Hosts of Sundries.

A. BARNETT will sell as above, WITHOUT RESERVE.

GRAND EXHIBITION & AUCTION SALE.

THE OGAWA COLLECTION

— OF —

JAPANESE ART TREASURES and CURIOS,

— AT —

THE GALLERY SALE ROOMS

— OF —

JAMES R. LAWSON AND LITTLE,

FINE ART AUCTIONEERS,

128—130 PITT-STREET, SYDNEY (near King-street).

PRIVATE VIEW (by Card Only)—

TUESDAY, 30th APRIL, at 2.30 o'clock (afternoon).

PUBLIC VIEW—

WEDNESDAY, 1st, to MONDAY, 6th MAY, inclusive, from 9 o'clock a.m. till 5 p.m. each day.

AUCTION SALE (THREE DAYS)—

TUESDAY, 7th; WEDNESDAY, 8th; and THURSDAY, 9th MAY. Each day at 11 o'clock a.m. prompt.

— WITHOUT ANY RESERVE. —

SPECIAL NOTE.—This valuable collection, which took years to bring together, was chiefly procured from Ancient Japanese Temples and Museums, and was the principal attraction of the Historic Osaka Exhibition of 1902, is without doubt the finest assemblage of early Japanese Art Curios that has ever come under the Auctioneer's hammer.

NEUTRAL BAY.

ATTRACTIVE SALE BY AUCTION, on

MONDAY NEXT, APRIL 29, AT 11 O'CLOCK A.M.

At the Residence, "ST. ALBANS," 25 WYCOMBE-ROAD, NEUTRAL BAY.

(Leave Boat at Hayes-street, close to Karraba-road.)

Under instructions from JAMES EKIN, Esq., in consequence of his projected departure for Europe, THE WHOLE OF HIS SUPERIOR FURNITURE AND HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS, including

DINING AND DRAWING-ROOM APPOINTMENTS. GENUINE OLD CHIPPENDALE CARD TABLE.

SUPERB RONISCH PIANOFORTE,

FULL UPRIGHT MODEL, IN WALNUT CASE, Specially Imported by Messrs. Nicholson and Co. Can be highly recommended. (Almost new.)

VALUABLE PICTURES AND ORNAMENTS. HANDSOME BEDROOM SUITE, Chippendale design, consisting of 4ft Wardrobe and Pair 3ft 6in Toilets.

SUPERIOR BEDSTEADS AND BEDDING, and GENERAL BEDROOM FURNISHINGS.

BOY'S PREMIER BICYCLE, Etc., Etc., Etc.

ON VIEW MONDAY MORNING, PRIOR TO SALE.

JAMES R. LAWSON AND LITTLE, FINE ART and GENERAL AUCTIONEERS, 128-130 PITT-STREET, near King-street.

JAMES R. LAWSON AND LITTLE. WILL SELL BY AUCTION, AT THE ARGYLE BOND, ON MONDAY NEXT, 29th APRIL, at Three O'Clock in the Afternoon.

ONE TON ISLAND TWIST TOBACCO. In Bond. With all Faults.

For and on account of the Concerned. Ex S.S. INVERAY.

IMPORTANT TO THE MEDICAL AND DENTAL PROFESSION.

UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION, on

TUESDAY NEXT, APRIL 30, AT 2.30 O'CLOCK IN THE AFTERNOON.

AT THE AUCTION SALE ROOMS AND GALLERIES of

JAMES R. LAWSON AND LITTLE, 128, 130 PITT-STREET, NEAR KING-STREET.

SURGICAL AND DENTAL INSTRUMENTS, including a considerable portion of the Stock of Messrs. Ferguson and Co., London, whose Estate was recently wound up by order of the Trustees, consisting of

Abscess Knives and Lancets, Amputation and Operation Cases, Aspirators, Belts, Bistouries, Bougies, Catheters, Clamps, Forceps, Dilators, Directors, Dissection Instruments, Douches, Elevators, Enemas, Extractors, Lamps, Assorted Lancets, Magnifying Glasses, Manicure Sets, Microscopes, Mirrors, Midwifery Sets, Needles, Perforators, Percussion Sets, Plugs, Pocket Dressing Cases, Probes, Pulse Glasses, Saws, Scissors, Scoops, Shears, Sprays, Pumps, etc., etc., etc.

Also,

SEVERAL DENTAL CABINETS. Dental Engine and Fittings, Water Motor, Head Rests, Gas Apparatus, ASH'S HOSPITAL PATENT DENTAL CHAIR, etc., etc., etc.

OFFICE AND LIBRARY FURNITURE, including WALNUT PEDESTAL WRITING TABLE, SUPERIOR OAK ROLLTOP DESK, Enclosed Press, Open Bookshelves, Enclosed Office Washstand, Letter Copying Press, Office Chairs, etc., etc., etc.

ON VIEW TUESDAY MORNING PRIOR TO SALE, from 9 o'clock.

JAMES R. LAWSON AND LITTLE, FURNITURE AND FINE ART AUCTIONEERS, 128, 130 PITT-STREET, NEAR KING-STREET.

MOORE PARK, PADDINGTON.

THURSDAY NEXT, MAY 1st, at 11,

BY PUBLIC AUCTION. On the Premises, HAMPDEN, MOORE PARK-ROAD.

THE VALUABLE THURMER PIANOFORTE and the SUPERIOR FURNISHINGS OF A LARGE FAMILY RESIDENCE.

E. HERDEN BRODRIBB, under instructions from Mr. BAKER, will sell as above. Particulars later. Auctioneer's Rooms and Office: Herden's-buildings, Haymarket.

HIGHLY IMPORTANT UNRESERVED AUCTION SALE,

ON THE ATHLONE-PLACE RESUMED AREA,

on WEDNESDAY NEXT, 1st MAY, at 11 o'clock.

JAMES COWAN, will sell in lots to suit purchasers,

acting under instructions from

THE SYDNEY MUNICIPAL COUNCIL,

100 BUILDINGS,

for Demolition and Removal,

comprising

TERRACES of MODERN COTTAGES.

TERRACES of TWO-STORIED BRICK HOUSES.

WEATHERBOARD COTTAGES and HOUSES.

The above Auction Sale offers a splendid opportunity to Builders and Speculators to secure First-class Materials of every description, and many of the premises could be rebuilt in other localities.

The Auctioneer can be seen at the City Council's Office, No. 12 Ultimo-street, every morning, from 9 to 11, to point out the various lots.

TERMS, CASH.

TO MANUFACTURING CONFECTIONERS,

AND THE TRADE GENERALLY.

HIGHLY IMPORTANT UNRESERVED AUCTION SALE.

ON FRIDAY NEXT, MAY 3rd,

At 11 o'clock,

ON THE PREMISES OF MESSRS.

WALLACE AND CO.,

MANUFACTURING CONFECTIONERS,

BLACKBURN-ST, OFF ELIZABETH-ST, HAYMARKET.

JAMES COWAN, acting under instructions from ALBERT BORCHARD, Incorporated Accountant, Equitable-buildings, George-street, will sell the Whole of

COSTLY AND MODERN PLANT AND APPURTENANCES, comprising—

25-H.P. ENGINE and BOILER, equal to new.

MORTON'S 12in LOZENGE PINNING and CUTTING MACHINE, with Feeder, Extra Stampers, and Cutters, complete. This machine is one of the very best of its class in the State.

BOILING AND MIXING PLANT, complete.

2 MORTON'S REVOLVING COMFIT PANS, complete.

1 LARGE COMFIT PAN.

MORTON'S SUGAR MILL, complete, with automatic feed.

1 POWER LOLLY MACHINE, with 6 sets of Rollers.

1 POWER CARAMEL-CUTTING MACHINE.

1 COMPLETE ICE HOUSE, by Block. This structure can be removed, and is in first-class condition.

LARGE COPPER JAM PANS, STEAM JACKETED.

CREAM MIXER, with 2 Pans and Beater.

MORTON'S MIXING MACHINE, Bram-lined.

CHOCOLATE TOPPING MACHINE.

CHOCOLATE DROP MACHINE.

MARBLE SLABS, MARBLE TABLES.

The Auctioneer wishes to point out to the trade the splendid opportunity the above auction sale offers.

The above works are fitted up regardless of expense, and are admitted to be one of the most up to date in the State.

Catalogues may be obtained at the above address. Terms Cash.

AUCTIONEERS AND ESTATE AGENTS.

WM. CRANE, JUN., and CO., beg to announce that they have started Business as AUCTIONEERS at No. 88 PITT-STREET (over Batt, Rodd, and Purves's Rooms).

Sales of Land and Furniture reasonably conducted. Prompt settlements. VALUATIONS for Probate, etc.

HORNSBY. AUCTION ROOMS, OPP. G.P.O. WEDNESDAY, 1st MAY, 1907, at 2 o'clock. Large SALE of FURNITURE, EFFECTS, and Sundries. ATTENTION of Storekeepers and Builders is called to Stock of Ironmongery, Glassware, Woodware, etc, etc, being Surplus Stock. COOKING UTENSILS, Two Splendid RANGES, Stoves, Etc., Etc.

CYRUS HONEBONE, Auctioneer.

WEDNESDAY, 1st MAY, AT THE CITY MART, 6 SPRING-STREET, at 11.30 a.m.

ON ACCOUNT OF WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

WITH ALL FAULTS.

IN BOND.

EX INVERAN.

1 Case BUFFALO HIDES, contg. 33 Sides Maroon M.B., contg. 1957 square feet.

SH S IN DIAMOND.

2 Cases TYPEWRITING PAPER, 17 x 22, 17 x 26.

SA F IN DIAMOND.

4 Cases, ea. 2 Dozen, MAPLE CHAIRS.

1 Case, ea. 1 Dozen MAPLE ROCKERS, CANE SEATS.

Ex SCHILLER, B and W over S in BLOCK.

Nos. 132, 136, 138 — 3 Crates WESTWOOD STEEL BICYCLE RIMS. SIZE ⅞ INCH.

EX TAINAN.

2 Bales SINGLETS.

34 Bundles No. 10 BLACK FENCING WIRE.

Ex GRACCHUS.

2 Bales CORNSACKS.

SOUND.

Ex SCHILLER.

3 Crates CUPS and SAUCERS, ea. 60 Doz.

1 Crate CHINA JUGS, 120 Sets.

12 Casks GLASS SUGARS, BUTTERS, and TUMBLERS.

110 Dozen CUPS and SAUCERS. Celeste and White. Pink and White.

220 Dozen CUPS and SAUCERS, White Fluted.

96 Dozen TUMBLERS.

150 Drums GERMAN CARBIDE OF CALCIUM. ea. 1cwt.

19 Reams "VENEZA" BANK NOTE PAPER.

60 Cases DAGGER BRAND MILK.

20 Casks FULLER'S EARTH.

50 5lb TINS TEA.

5 HAND TRUCKS.

2 BOSS TABLES.

1 Case MAGNESIA.

FRASER, UTHER, AND CO., Ltd., will sell by auction the above.

MONSTER SALE OF TIMBER AND GALVANISED IRON, used in construction of Foley's Circus, Rawson-place, opposite Railway Station.

TUESDAY, 30th APRIL,

AT 11 A.M.

consisting of the following:—

3000 Feet 3 x 2 HARDWOOD.

3000 Feet 4 x 2½ HARDWOOD.

2000 Feet OREGON BATTENS.

4000 Feet 6 to 9 x 3 OREGON.

3000 Feet PINE BOARDS.

BUILDINGS, ENTRANCE GATES, Etc.

Also,

300 SHEETS 7 Feet GALVD. IRON.

200 SHEETS 9 Feet GALVD. IRON.

ALL NEW IRON, ONLY IN USE THREE WEEKS.

FOR UNRESERVED SALE.

FRASER, UTHER, AND CO., Ltd., have received instructions to sell by auction the above.

AT OUR SALEROOM, 18 BRIDGE-STREET, FRIDAY, MAY 3, 1907, at 2.30 p.m. SHARP. Under instructions from Messrs. SCOTT, HENDERSON, and CO. 796 PACKAGES CEYLON TEAS. and 204 PACKAGES INDIAN TEAS (Fine, Finest, and Choice Qualities, ex recent arrivals).

H. W. CAREY AND CO., TEA BROKERS AND AUCTIONEERS, Queensland-offices, 18 Bridge-street, Sydney. Samples now on show, and Catalogues in our Salerooms as above. Usual Auction Terms and Conditions of Sale.

In the Bankrupt Estate of ALBERT WILLIAM WINDSOR.

By order of the Official Assignee, W. HARRINGTON PALMER, Esq.

THURSDAY NEXT, at 11 a.m. sharp, on the Premises, 140 CASTLEREAGH-STREET, CITY, Quantity of First-class HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, Bedsteads, Linoleums, etc. Detailed particulars in future issues.

BARNARD AND CO. will sell as above. Auc. Offices: 140 Castlereagh-street. 'Phone, 2778.

INGLIS' COFFEE ESSENCE is made by new process, and contains more Caffeine than other preparations. One trial will convince you that it is the best. ALL GROCERS and STOREKEEPERS.

ENMORE.

MONDAY NEXT, AT 10.30 A.M.

ATTRACTIVE UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION, under instructions from A. Agassis, Esq., at his residence, 6 MARIAN-STREET, close to Enmore Terminus.

THE HANDSOME FURNITURE and EFFECTS, comprising:—

WALNUT PIANOFORTE, good tone, by Aucher Freres.

PRETTY SUITE and DRAWING-ROOM APPOINTMENTS. Charming Musical Box, playing 8 airs.

Overmantels, Pictures, Bric-a-Brac.

Curtains, Floorcloths, China and Glassware.

SUPERIOR ELECTROPLATE and CUTLERY.

EXTD. DINING TABLE, 8T, WAL. SIDEBOARD.

Dining Suite, Pembroke Table, Clock.

VERY HANDSOME BEDROOM SUITE, in St. Walnut. Chests Drawers, Washstands and Ware, Chairs, Combn. Chests.

SINGLE and DOUBLE H.T. BEDSTEADS and BEDDING.

KITCHEN FURNISHINGS and UTENSILS.

Everything in good order, and for ABSOLUTE SALE, owing to a recent bereavement.

STRONGMAN, WATSON, & HAWKINS are favoured with instructions to sell as above, and invite attendance of FURNITURE BUYERS AND THE TRADE.

*** On view early morning of Sale.

AUCTIONEERS' TELEPHONE, 200 BURWOOD.

THIS DAY, APRIL 27, at 10.30 a.m., at the CENTRAL AUCTION ROOMS, 274 Pitt-street, under instructions from THE CURATOR OF INTESTATE ESTATES, In the Estate of Mary Eccles, late of Leichhardt, HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS, Pier Glass, Couch, Dining Tables, Chif. Safe, Dresser, Mangle, Pictures, etc.

A. G. JENKINS, will sell as above, THIS MORNING.

THIS DAY, APRIL 27th, at 10.30 a.m., at the CENTRAL AUCTION ROOMS, 274 Pitt-street, under instructions from THE MASTER IN LUNACY, HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS. ESCRITOIRE CHEST OF DRAWERS, in MAPLE. T. and P. Couch, Aust. and Rattan Chairs, Carpets, Pictures, Ornaments, Cutlery, Glass and Crockeryware, Bed Linen, etc., etc.

A. G. JENKINS will sell as above, THIS MORNING.

THIS DAY, APRIL 27th, at 10.30 a.m.,

at the CENTRAL AUCTION ROOMS, 274 Pitt-street, HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS.

UNDER BILL OF SALE.

Walnut Overmantel, Large Mirror, Carpets, Couches, Dining Tables, Aust. Chairs and Rockers, Wicker Furniture.

Double and Single Bedsteads, Chests Drawers, Linen Press, Toilet Tables and Glasses, Washstands and Ware.

Singer Sewing Machine, Dresser, Safes, Fenders, Coal Vases, Clocks, Kitchen Utensils, and Sundries.

A. G. JENKINS, will sell as above THIS MORNING.

THIS DAY, APRIL 27, at 196 KING-STREET, NEWTOWN, at 3 p.m.

ORLANDO I. KEMPTHORNE will sell by Auction a varied collection of GENERAL FURNITURE.

DOVER STOVE, KITCHEN OVEN. SEWING MACHINES, and SUNDRIES.

PRELIMINARY ANNOUNCEMENT.

SPECIAL SALE DAY.

MONDAY, MAY 13, 1907.

UNDER INSTRUCTIONS FROM THE LIQUIDATORS OF THE AUSTRALIAN BREWERY AND WINE AND SPIRIT CO. (IN LIQUIDATION).

LOT 1.—GLEBE.—WESTMORELAND-STREET, near St. John's-road, House Property, lately known as Toxteth Park Hotel, of brick, slate roof, containing 10 rooms, kitchen, scullery, bathroom, etc. At rear are w.b. laundry, stables, coachhouse, large yard. Land 40 x 120 to lane at rear. Title Leasehold, 99 years from 18th March, 1880; ground rent £8 2s 6d yearly.

LOT 2.—ST. PETERS.—FREDERICK-STREET, close to Sydenham Station or St. Peters tram, 2 SEMI-DETACHED HOUSES of brick, iron roofs, each containing 4 rooms, kitchen, washhouse, etc, verandah and balcony. Land 60 x 105, Lots 32 and 33, Sec. D, Grove Estate. HALF THE LAND IS AVAILABLE FOR FURTHER BUILDINGS. Title Torrens.

LOT 3.—ST. PETERS.—Corner Allotment, 35ft to TERRY-STREET, 108ft 3in along UNWIN'S BRIDGE-ROAD, and 35ft 5in to BELMORE-STREET, being Lot 1, Sec. 6, Marionette Estate. Title Torrens. ALSO, Lot 2, Sec. 6, adjoining, 30ft to TERRY-STREET, 30ft to BELMORE-STREET, by depth of 108ft. Title Torrens. Plan on view.

LOT 4.—ROCKDALE.—Allotment, 44ft 10½in to GRAND PARADE, by about 120ft, about 50ft at rear, being Lot 20, Sec. 4, of a subdivision.

LOT 5.—ENMORE.—Cottage known as "AFGHAN," fronting JAMES-STREET, occupied by Mrs. Roche. Land 19ft by 84ft 9in. Part of Lot 8, Sec. 1, Village of Enmore. Title Freehold. Full particulars later.

LOT 6.—LEICHHARDT, close to Parramatta-road.—Allotment, 50ft to UPWARD-STREET by 81ft deep, Lot 15 of a subdivision, opposite the Kegworth Estate. Title Freehold. Plan on view.

LOT 7.—WAVERLEY, close to tram, Leichhardt-street stop.—Allotment, 50ft to BARCLAY-STREET, by 119ft 6in, being Lots 11 and 11A Wallace Town subdivision. Title Torrens. Plan on view.

LOT 8.—COOGEE.—Elevated Block of Land, 120ft to BATTERY-STREET by 132ft deep along BEACH-STREET, being Lots 8, 9, and 10, Sec. 2, Cliffbrook Estate. A GOOD CORNER, overlooking Cliffbrook House. Title Freehold. Plan on view.

LOT 9.—PARRAMATTA NORTH.—Land, 195ft to ROSS-STREET by about 145ft deep, being Lots 11 and 12, Sec. 6, Town of Parramatta. Title Torrens. Plan on view.

LOT 10.—GRANVILLE.—Land, about 180ft 6in to WILLIAM-STREET, about 152ft to PARRAMATTA-STREET, and about 152ft to ILLALONG-STREET, Lots 9 to 12, Brodie's Subdivision, of Lots 1 and 2, Sec. 11, Want's Subdivision, Western Division, Parramatta South, close to the Dog Trap-road and Granville Railway Station. Title Freehold.

LOT 11.—GRANVILLE.—Land, 66ft to VICTORIA-STREET, close to Albert-street by 128ft deep, being Lot 15, Sec. 5, of a subdivision of Sir Henry Parkes's Land, just off the main Sydney-road, close to the Railway Station. Title, Freehold.

LOT 12.—SMITHFIELD.—THE CRICKETERS' ARMS HOTEL, fronting the Smithfield to Parramatta road, land about 1 ACRE, being Lots 4 and 5, Sec. 3, Eastern Extension, Town of Smithfield. Title, Freehold. Full particulars later.

LOT 13.—PROSPECT.—1 ACRE 1 ROOD 12 PERCHES, fronting PROSPECT CREEK and a road, being part of J. Morley's Grant, with BUILDING THEREON of wood and iron, occupied by Mr. J. Buckett, formerly used as a hotel. Title, Freehold. Full particulars later.

LOT 14.—FAIRFIELD.—Land, 48ft to each LINDA and VERNON STREETS, by 230ft, being Lots 20 and 21, 52 and 53, Sec. 14, Avoca Estate. Torrens Title.

LOT 15.—WISEMAN'S FERRY.—40 acres, Portion No. 48, Parish of Frederick, Co. of Cumberland, fronting main road, Wiseman's Ferry to Parramatta and Windsor. Title, Torrens.

LOT 16.—DAPTO.—Lots 15, 16, and 17, Sec. 52, Kanahooka Estate, 120ft to Kanahooka-road, by 165ft along Burrall-street, lane at rear. Title, Torrens. Plan on view.

LOT 17.—PORT MACQUARIE.—150 acres, Portions 11, 12, and 24, Parish of Lincoln, Co. of Macquarie; also 40 acres, Portion 25. Title, Torrens.

LOT 18.—RIVERSTONE.—Land, 132ft to Grainger-street, by 132ft deep, Lots 30 to 32, Sec. 20, Orchardville Estate. Title, Torrens.

LOT 19.—BROKEN HILL.—Equity of Redemption in and to Land, 16 perches, Town of Willyama.

LOT 20.—VICTORIA, near Melbourne.—Lots 1, 16, 24, and 25, Fairfield Extension Subdivision.

LOT 21.—INTEREST of Patrick McMullen, under the will of his father.

Messrs. READ and READ, 138 King-street, Solicitors to the Liquidators.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell the above by Public Auction, at their Salerooms, 133 PITT-STREET, at 11.30 a.m. on MONDAY, 13th MAY, 1907.

A CLEARANCE SALE,

TO CLOSE ACCOUNTS.

LOT 1.

AUBURN.—CAPITAL 8-ACRE BLOCK, CHISHOLM-ROAD and DUCK RIVER. Lot 8, Sec. 14, Chisholm Estate.

LOT 2.

CANTERBURY.—BRIDGEWATER ESTATE, Lots 14, and 15, Sec. 3, ea. 50 x 150, Canton-street.

LOT 3.

NORTH SYDNEY.—EDWARDS' ESTATE, Lots 3, 21, and 22, Section 2, ea. 40 x 165, JULIAN and BORLAISE STREETS, off Willoughby-road.

AUCTION SALE at the Rooms, 88 PITT-STREET, on TUESDAY, 7th MAY NEXT, at 11.30 a.m.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES, Limited.

AT THE RISK AND EXPENSE OF FORMER PURCHASER.

LOT 1, LAKE VIEW ESTATE, WENTWORTH FALLS.

A CAPITAL SITE, in area 1ac 1r 9pers, fronting the Railway Line and The Crescent, only 200 yards from Railway Station. TORRENS TITLE.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES, Limited, are instructed to offer the above by PUBLIC AUCTION, at their Rooms, 88 Pitt-street, on TUESDAY, 7th MAY, AT 11.30 A.M.

PLAN on view at the Rooms.

BATT, RODD, AND PURVES, LTD., PROPERTY AUCTIONEERS, ESTATE AGENTS, AND VALUATORS.

AUCTION SALES HELD IN THE ROOMS AND ON THE GROUND.

VALUATIONS FURNISHED FOR PROBATE, PARTITIONS, MORTGAGE, Etc.

LETTING of HOUSES, COLLECTING of RENTS, and ENTIRE MANAGEMENT of PROPERTIES undertaken for TRUSTEES, ABSENTEES, and OWNERS. OFFICES and SALEROOMS: 88 PITT-STREET. Tel. No., 118.

TO HOTELKEEPERS, AMUSEMENT CATERERS, and SPORTING CLUB PROPRIETORS.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEES.

THE OAKS, MONA VALE. PITTWATER.

This MAGNIFICENT and UNIQUE PROPERTY, comprising about 114 acres, under TORRENS TITLE, is situated 10 miles from MANLY, about 800 yards from the Rock Lily Hotel, on the main road to Pittwater and Newport, thus rendering it easily accessible from the city by either MOTOR CAR or COACH, has large FRONTAGES to DARLEY-STREET, the PITTWATER-ROAD, BASSETT-STREET, and the PACIFIC OCEAN.

THE BUILDINGS specially designed for a RESIDENTIAL CLUB, embodying all the requisite conditions of a PERFECT SANATORIUM, with Cottages for families attached, of brick on concrete foundations, with Mansard roof with promenade, contain imposing MAIN ENTRANCE and HALL, billiard-room, lounge, smoking-room, 25 bedrooms, extra large dining hall, 6 bathrooms, and most up-to-date domestic arrangements, and servants' quarters.

ADJOINING THE CLUB-HOUSE is a STUDIO and MUSIC-ROOM, with artistic lead-light windows and ceilings. LARGE FERNERY.

A Short Distance from the main building is an octagonal house of brick and wood, containing in the upper portion BALL-ROOM (42ft x 42ft), with up-to-date arrangements in basement.

IN the GROUNDS are the THREE BRICK COTTAGES above referred to, also TWO OTHERS in course of construction, and on the far side of the grounds is a 6-roomed W.B. Cottage, with tiled roof.

THE GROUNDS are tastefully laid out with ornamental shrubs, lawns, and statues in front of the CLUB-HOUSE, while an area of about 40 acres opposite has been made ready for SPORTING purposes, GOLF, POLO, CRICKET, FOOTBALL, LAWN TENNIS, etc, and a 6-furlong Racecourse.

THE PROPERTY, DELIGHTFULLY SITUATED on the shores of the PACIFIC OCEAN, embraces large BEACH Frontage, where SURF BATHING can be indulged in without risk.

Added to other attractions there is a NATURAL FRESH WATER LAKE in the grounds, enhancing their beauty, and at the same time affording a PERMANENT WATER SUPPLY.

CONSIDERING the rapid strides in Motoring as a means of transit, and the unrivalled position as a health and holiday resort, there should be a great future

FOR THE OAKS.

BATT, RODD, AND PURVES, LTD., have been instructed to sell the above by PUBLIC AUCTION, at their Rooms, 88 Pitt-street, on TUESDAY, the 7th of MAY, at 11.30 a.m.

Messrs. MINTER, SIMPSON, and CO., Solicitors for the Mortgagees.

PYMBLE HEIGHTS.

ON THE NORTH SHORE RAILWAY LINE.

THE GLEN,

Fronting FERN-STREET, 5 minutes from the Railway Station, and surrounded by all good residences. The Villa is faithfully built of brick, and contains dining and drawing rooms, 4 large bedrooms and 2 smaller ones, bathroom, lavatory, linen cupboards, and all conveniences; high ceilings, verandah, etc.; gas and water. LAND 132 x 180, garden, lawn, orchard, asphalt paths, fowlyard, etc.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES, Limited, have been instructed to submit to PUBLIC AUCTION, in the Rooms, 88 Pitt-street, on TUESDAY, 7th MAY, at 11.30 a.m., THE ABOVE HOME, ready for immediate occupation, and in perfect order.

SYDNEY FERRIES, LIMITED.

88 CONTRIBUTING SHARES, PAID UP TO 10s.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES, LIMITED, have been instructed to submit the above Shares in this PROSPEROUS COMPANY to Public Auction, at the Rooms, 88 Pitt-street, on TUESDAY, 7th MAY, at 11.30 a.m.

FURTHER Particulars from the Auctioneers.

NEUTRAL BAY WATER FRONTAGE,

KARRABA-ROAD, "EDZELL."

A Picturesque Detached Brick and Stone Villa, slate roof, with wide verandahs and balconies, commanding delightful views of Shell Cove and Harbour. THE HOUSE contains wide hall, 8 good rooms, boxroom, and offices complete, tastefully fitted throughout.

THE LAND, 1 rood 36 perches, has large frontage to DEEP WATER, SHELL COVE, by depth through to KARRABA-ROAD of 315 feet. Title, Leasehold, about 52½ years to run, at a Ground Rent of £2 8s 6d per annum.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES, Limited, have been instructed to offer at Public Auction, at their Rooms, 88 Pitt-street, on TUESDAY, 7th MAY NEXT, at 11.30 a.m. THE ABOVE Water-frontage Residence. The attention of BOATING and MOTOR LAUNCH OWNERS is called to this opportunity of securing a delightful and convenient Home.

AT THE RISK AND EXPENSE OF THE FORMER PURCHASER.

BOONSHILL ESTATE, PICTON.

LOT 8.—Area 7 acres, fronting the MAIN SOUTHERN ROAD, a capital cultivation or grazing block. TORRENS TITLE.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES, Limited, have been instructed to submit the above to Public Auction, in the Rooms, 88 Pitt-street, on TUESDAY, 7th MAY, at 11.30 a.m.

ABSOLUTE SALE.

WATERLOO, MOREHEAD-STREET, Nos. 28 to 34.

FOUR BRICK COTTAGES, slate roofs, ornamental fronts, each contains 2 rooms, kitchen, bath, and laundry with copper. Land, 50 feet to Morehead-street, depth 100 feet to lane at rear.

TITLE LEASEHOLD.

TOTAL RENTAL, £93 12s per annum.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES, Limited, will offer the above at PUBLIC AUCTION in the Rooms, 88 Pitt-street, on TUESDAY, 7th MAY, at 11.30 a.m.

A CAPITAL INVESTMENT. Worth Attention.

Messrs. PIGOTT and STINSON are Solicitors for Vendor.

GRAND SUBDIVISION BLOCK, STRATHFIELD.

FOR ABSOLUTE SALE.

AREA OVER 3 ACRES, fronting LIVERPOOL, REDMYRE, and PUNCH BOWL ROADS. Large Frontages. Very Big Depth. SPECULATOR'S CHANCE.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES, Limited, are instructed to submit by PUBLIC AUCTION, at the Rooms, 88 Pitt-street, on TUESDAY, 7th MAY, at 11.30 a.m., The above Choice Land. Plan on view. TITLE TORRENS.

Vendor's Solicitors: Messrs. CAPE, KENT, and GADEN, Pitt-street.

HUNTER'S HILL, THE PITTOSPORUMS,

An Ideal COTTAGE RETREAT, standing in grounds of 4ac 2rds 10p, most artistically laid out in flower, fruit, and vegetable garden, from all of which a good annual return can be obtained. Water is laid on all over the grounds from permanent well and windmill. There are good stables, coachhouse, and outbuildings on the property. Splendid views over River and Country obtainable, standing as it does on a high knoll, and altogether the place is a perfect health resort, and well worth inspection.

TORRENS TITLE.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES, LTD., will offer the above by PUBLIC AUCTION, at their Rooms, 88 Pitt-street, on TUESDAY, the 14th May, at 11.30 a.m.

Views of the Property and full particulars from the Auctioneers.

PRELIMINARY.

BALMAIN.—Lot 1. LARGE BLOCK OF LAND, having extensive frontages to ADOLPHUS-STREET, Adolphus-lane, and Vincent-street.

On which are THE ROB ROY HOTEL, and 4 Stone Cottages, fronting ADOLPHUS-STREET, and 2 fronting THE LANE.

Also,

2 having frontage to VINCENT-STREET.

Lot 2. BEATTIE-STREET, No. 145, Shop and Factory, known as Cook's Shirt Factory, building of brick, 2 storeys.

Lot 3. Darling-street.—4 Shops and Dwellings.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES, Ltd., are instructed to sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, at their Rooms, 88 Pitt-street, at 11.30 a.m., on TUESDAY, the 14th MAY, The above Freehold Properties, more full particulars of which may be obtained on application.

FOOTBALL CLUB ESTATE,

CENTRE OF GRANVILLE,

AUCTION SALE, THIS DAY, SATURDAY, 27TH, AT 3 O'CLOCK, ON THE GROUND.

Terms, £1 deposit, £1 monthly, interest 5 per cent. 80 LOTS. Deeds, TORRENS, £2 10s. Title guaranteed free from Mortgage. Buy in the Town, close to the Station. METAL STREETS. Buy land you can use. In these days of competition working men cannot waste time walking long distances to the TRAIN.

POSITION IS EVERYTHING.

Crowds of buyers waiting for this Sale. Go and see this 7 acres of the choicest land, and the last large area for Sale in the Town of Granville. Take train, 1s 3d return, and get out the good side of the line. Anyone will show you the Estate.

ARTHUR BLACKWOOD, AUCTIONEER.

TELEPHONE, 940. SAVINGS BANK-CHAMBERS, HAYMARKET.

AUCTION SALES.

TO-DAY. TO-DAY. TO-DAY.

AUCTION ON GROUND,
RIVER VIEW ESTATE,
CHISWICK—CHISWICK—CHISWICK,

on Parramatta River, in Municipality of Drummoyne, adjoining Ferry Wharf, Reclamation Rights Secured.
EASY TERMS. EASY TERMS.
Moderate Building Restriction for purchasers' protection. Take Parramatta River Boat to Chiswick Wharf, or Abbotsford Tram to Blackwall Point-road.

ARTHUR RICKARD and CO., Ltd., 84B PITT-ST.

TURRAMURRA. WARRAWEE.

Handy to either station, one of the best positions on the North Shore line, surrounded by fine Residences, and about 600ft above sea level.

WERONA ESTATE, } Subdivided into choice Residential Blocks, about 1 acre each, with frontages to Eastern-road and Smith-street. City gas and water, made roads, high land.

A CHANCE NOT TO BE MISSED.

AUCTION SALE AT THE ROOMS, PITT-STREET,

WEDNESDAY NEXT, AT 11.30 A.M.

HARDIE AND GORMAN, AUCTIONEERS.

TORRENS TITLE. EASY TERMS. CALL OR WRITE FOR LITHO.

BY ORDER OF THE EXECUTORS OF THE LATE Mrs. J. D. MEARS.

"WERONA" (No. 30), CAMBRIDGE and MERCHANT STREETS, STANMORE, near Railway Station, AN UP-TO-DATE VILLA RESIDENCE, built of brick, and containing tiled verandah, hall, 3 reception-rooms, conservatory, 5 bedrooms, dressing-room, usual domestic offices, W.B. Stabling, Coachhouse, and man's room. The property is enclosed with stone wall and iron railing.

LAND 68ft to CAMBRIDGE-STREET, 264ft along MERCHANT-STREET, 53ft to HARROW-ROAD at rear.

TITLE TORRENS.
CARETAKER IN CHARGE.

AUCTION SALE, NEXT WEDNESDAY, 1st MAY, 1907.
HARDIE and GORMAN (in conjunction with WALKER BROS.), Auctioneers, 133 Pitt-street.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEES.

LEURA,
NEAR THE RAILWAY STATION.

The balance of the MARMION ESTATE, in Two Lots, as follows:—
1—401 acres, being the balance of Portion 111, Parish of Blackheath, County of Cook.
2—13 ACRES, being balance of Portion 109, Parish of Blackheath, County Cook, consisting of the unsold Lots, in Sections 1, 2, and 3, fronting Bathurst-road, Blaxland and Lawson streets and the rear portions of the Grant.

TITLE TORRENS.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions from THE MORTGAGEES to sell by Public Auction, at their Salerooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on
NEXT WEDNESDAY, 1st MAY, 1907,
The above Lands, as per Plans on view at the Rooms of the Auctioneers.
SOLICITORS for MORTGAGEES, MESSRS. FISHER and MACANSH, King and George streets.

MORTDALE-HURSTVILLE.

MAGNIFICENT BLOCK OF LAND, suitable for SUBDIVISION, containing an area of
152 ACRES AND 14 PERCHES,
known as W. BARTON'S GRANT, HAVING LARGE FRONTAGES to GEORGE'S RIVER, Boundary and Lorraine roads, and surrounded by the WILLGROW ESTATE, SCOTT'S BUSH ESTATE, KEMP'S ESTATE, and OATLEY PARK ESTATE, and being within ¾ of a mile from the MORTDALE RAILWAY STATION, and near to the 'bus stand (Mortdale and Hurstville).

THIS PROPERTY HAS BEEN HELD FOR MANY YEARS, and is now being offered as a Block of Land which SHOULD COMMAND THE ATTENTION of SPECULATORS and OTHERS who are on the LOOK-OUT for a GOOD POSITIONED BLOCK OF LAND, being SPECIALLY SUITED for SUBDIVISION in LARGE and SMALL AREAS.

TITLE TORRENS ACT.

PLAN ON VIEW AT THE ROOMS.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell the above-described Property by Public Auction, at their Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on
NEXT WEDNESDAY, 1st MAY, 1907.

AN EXCELLENT LETTING POSITION.
LEICHHARDT,
nearly opposite the Public School.

3 COTTAGES, "SIERRA," "SONOMA," and "VENTURA," Nos. 86, 88, and 90 NORTON-ST. Built of Brick, with Tiled Roofs, each having Tiled Verandahs, Iron Rails on Stone in Front, 4 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, and offices, gas, water, and sewer. All let and producing
£101 8s YEARLY.
LAND 60 x 100. TITLE TORRENS.

HARDIE and GORMAN will sell by public auction, at their Sale Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, NEXT WEDNESDAY, 1st MAY, 1907,
The above-described CAPITAL INVESTMENT.

REDFERN.

W.B. COTTAGE, NO. 50 YOUNG-STREET (between Cooper and Redfern streets), having verandahs front and back, 4 rooms, kitchen, washhouse, bathroom, etc., side entrance, nice garden in front, good yard, let to Mrs. Carmody at 10s 6d per week.
LAND 25FT x 121FT.
TITLE LEASEHOLD, 50 Years from the 31/12/'06.
Ground Rent, £5 4s per annum.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell the above by Public Auction at their Salerooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock on
NEXT WEDNESDAY, MAY 1st, 1907.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEES.

PENROSE (Southern Line, facing the railway, close to Bundanoon, a favourite Tourist Resort), ½-mile only from Railway Station.

W.B. HOUSE, 4 rooms, Dairy, etc., 80 ACRES LAND, all fenced, Orchard, 9 years old (apples, pears, cherries), 7 acres vegetable garden, permanent water from Creek and Spring.

FREEHOLD TITLE.

HARDIE and GORMAN will sell the above by Public Auction, at their Salerooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on
NEXT WEDNESDAY, 1st MAY, 1907.

CONDOBOLIN—about 40 miles from Station by good road, adjoining the "Big Ben" Copper Mine.
40 ACRES OF LAND, being Portion No. 5, Parish of Melrose, County of Cunningham.
Plan on view at the Salerooms.

HARDIE and GORMAN will sell the above by Public Auction at their Salerooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on
NEXT WEDNESDAY, MAY 1st, 1907.

BY ORDER OF THE OWNERS.

MANLY.

SPLENDID BUILDING ALLOTMENTS, occupying an elevated position, with fine Harbour Views, fronting
STUART AND CAREY STREETS.

THE STUART STREET FRONTAGE COMPRISES 5 ALLOTMENTS, EACH 23 FEET by about 140 FEET, and 1 ALLOTMENT 77 FEET by 140 FEET on one side, and 131 FEET on the other, and 14 FEET at rear.

THE CAREY-STREET FRONTAGE COMPRISES 5 ALLOTMENTS, each 33 FEET frontage, by depths ranging from about 215 FEET to about 170 FEET.

PLAN ON VIEW AT THE SALEROOMS.

TITLE FREEHOLD.

Messrs. MARK MITCHELL and FORSYTH, Moore-street, are Vendor's Solicitors.

HARDIE and GORMAN will sell the above by Public Auction, at their Salerooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on
WEDNESDAY, MAY 8th, 1907.

BY DIRECTION OF THE STATE PREMIER.

CENTENNIAL PARK LANDS.

Lots 1 and 2, Section 2,
will be offered
WEDNESDAY, 1st MAY, 1907,
at 11.30 a.m.,
at the Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, Sydney.

HARDIE AND GORMAN. (5s-155)

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

PEAKHURST, PAN-ROAD and SALTPAN CREEK.—COTTAGE, of W.B., iron roof, 6 rooms, etc., lately occupied as a Store by Mr. Vanpapenbaum; also small W.B. Cottage, iron roof, 3 rooms, boatshed, and jetty, on creek frontage.
LAND, 1ac 2rd 30per. TITLE TORRENS.
AUCTION SALE, WEDNESDAY, 1st MAY, 1907, at the Salerooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock.
HARDIE and GORMAN (in conjunction with STANTON and SON), Auctioneers.

BY ORDER OF THE EXECUTOR
Estate of the Late
DANIEL NIGHTENGALE, Esq.

LOT 1. NORTH ANNANDALE.—DET. BRICK COTTAGE, known as ASCOTTE, No. 38 ANNANDALE-STREET, built of brick, slate roof, containing 4 rooms, kitchen, laundry, etc. Let at 14s per week. LAND 20ft 6in to ANNANDALE-STREET by about 134ft to lane at rear.

LOT 2. ROCKDALE, BAY-STREET, just beyond Rocky Point-road, in a good business position, with tram passing the door.—BRICK-BUILT SHOP and DWELLING, occupied by the Rockdale Branch of the Camden Dairy Co., and containing shop, 4 rooms, kitchen, laundry, bathroom, etc. LAND 20ft x 100ft to lane at rear.

LOT 3. KOGARAH, REGENT-STREET (close to Gladstone-road).—Semi-detached BRICK COTTAGE, known as NORME, slate roof, containing 3 rooms, kitchen, washhouse, bathroom, verandah, etc. LAND 40ft x 120ft.

LOT 4. ST. PETERS (close to the Cook's River-road).—BLOCK of LAND, 30ft to TERRY-STREET, by 160ft through to BELMORE-STREET at rear, being Lot 20, Section 5, Marionette Estate.

LOT 5. HEATHCOTE (opposite the southern end of National Park).—LAND having 132ft frontage to the PARK, by depth of 190ft 8in to and along PARK-ROAD, being Lots 62 to 65, Section 1, of a Subdivision. ALSO, LAND, 60ft 2in frontage to the PARK by depth of 192ft 11in along FOREST-ROAD, Lots 64 and 65, Section 3 of a Subdivision.

TITLES to the whole of the above are TORRENS.

Messrs. MURPHY and MOLONEY, 91 Elizabeth-street, Solicitors to the Estate.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, in the Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock on
WEDNESDAY, 8th MAY, 1907,
The above-described Properties.

In the Bankrupt Estate of ROBERT BRODHURST HILL. Under Instructions from WILLIAM HARRINGTON PALMER, Esq., Official Assignee.

ALL THE OFFICIAL ASSIGNEE'S interest (if any) in and to the abovenamed Bankrupt's share or interest under the Will or in the Estate of his late Father, Alfred Brodhurst Hill.

Further Particulars may be obtained from the Auctioneers or the Official Assignee.

Messrs. PERKINS, STEVENSON, and CO., Pitt-street, are Solicitors to the Official Assignee in this matter.

HARDIE and GORMAN will sell the above by Public Auction, at their Salerooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock on
WEDNESDAY, 8th MAY, 1907.

BY ORDER OF
THE PERPETUAL TRUSTEE CO., LTD.,
EXECUTORS UNDER THE WILL OF THE LATE MICHAEL DAVIS MITCHELL, ESQ.

SHOP INVESTMENT—PETERSHAM.
CORNER OF NEW CANTERBURY-ROAD AND MARIA-STREET.

A GREAT BUSINESS CENTRE.

LOT 1.—NOS. 128 TO 134 NEW CANTERBURY-ROAD—4 SHOPS and DWELLINGS, BUILT OF BRICK, with iron roofs, awnings in front.
NOS. 128 TO 132, each contain Shop, room at rear, kitchen, washhouse, bathroom, and 4 rooms upstairs. Rents each 15s weekly.
NO. 134, SPACIOUS CORNER SHOP (2 windows), also kitchen, washhouse, and 4 rooms, let at 20s per week.
TOTAL RENTS, £169 YEARLY.

LAND about 60 FEET by about 99 FEET along MARIA-STREET, and about 125 FEET on the other side, and about 50 FEET at rear.

LOT 2.—NOS. 136 AND 138 NEW CANTERBURY-ROAD, built of brick, with iron roofs, awnings in front.
NO. 136, spacious Corner Shop (2 windows), kitchen, bathroom, cellar, 4 rooms, etc., let at £84 10s per annum on lease till 15th June, 1908.
NO. 138, Shop only, let at 8s per week.
At the rear is Iron Stabling, let at 1s 6d per week.
TOTAL RENTS, £109 4s YEARLY.

LAND about 37 FEET by about 160 FEET along MARIA-STREET, and about 144 FEET on the other side, about 33 FEET at rear.
TITLE FREEHOLD.

Messrs. MARK MITCHELL and FORSYTH, Moore-street, Solicitors to the Estate.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions from the PERPETUAL TRUSTEE CO., LTD., to sell by Public Auction at their Salerooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock on
WEDNESDAY MAY 8th, 1907,
THE ABOVE-DESCRIBED WELL-SITUATED INVESTMENT AT PETERSHAM.

TO VETERINARY SURGEONS, VAN OR CAB PROPRIETORS and Others requiring Residence with large Stable Accommodation.

NORTH SYDNEY,

No. 13 ERNEST-STREET, almost at tram stop, 2 minutes from Crow's Nest Junction.
Double-fronted COTTAGE, of brick on stone, iron roof, cavity walls, in splendid repair, having front verandah (6ft), half-hall, 6 rooms, large kitchen, enclosed back verandah, washhouse, bath, etc; extensive range of stabling (80ft), of W.B. and iron, 5 loose boxes, and loft over, and shed-enclosed horse yard, fowlhouses, garden, shade trees.
Land, 80 x 138. Lanes on both sides and at rear. Torrens Title.

HARDIE and GORMAN will sell the above by public auction, at the Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 a.m., on
WEDNESDAY, MAY 15th, 1907.

COLO VALE.

CLOSE TO RAILWAY STATION.
ORCHARD PROPERTY, fronting BONG BONG-ROAD, containing an area of 6 ACRES 11 PERCHES.
THE IMPROVEMENTS comprise comfortable W.B. COTTAGE, lined inside, containing 4 rooms, etc.; 2 tanks, 600 full-bearing trees, principally apples (mixed kinds, cooking and dessert).
TITLE TORRENS.

W. T. ASHTON SHORTER, Esq., 118 Pitt-street, Solicitor to Vendor.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to offer the above-described Property by Public Auction, in their Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on
WEDNESDAY, 15th MAY, 1907.

HUNTER'S HILL.
FOR POSITIVE SALE.
ATTRACTIVE WATER-FRONTAGE RESIDENCE

Only 5 minutes' walk from JOUBERT-STREET Ferry.
AN IDEAL HOME FOR YACHTSMEN OR MOTOR LAUNCH ENTHUSIASTS.
EUTHELLA,

SUBSTANTIALLY BUILT STONE RESIDENCE, containing WIDE ENTRANCE HALL, DRAWING-ROOM (16 x 20), DINING-ROOM (15 x 18), breakfast-room (16 x 13), study, kitchen, pantry, scullery, 6 bedrooms (best BEDROOM 16 x 20), with dressing-room, linen-room, bathroom with w.c. Underneath drawing-room is a lofty cellar, which could be used as a billiard-room.
THE LAND, 2 ACRES (with absolute deep-water frontage), is very tastefully laid out.

HUGH DUFF and CO. have received instructions to sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, at their SALEROOMS, 283 GEORGE-STREET, on THURSDAY, 2nd MAY, at 11.30 a.m.,
THE ABOVE WATER-FRONTAGE PROPERTY.
N.B.—This is a chance to secure a bargain, and we invite the attention and inspection of those in search of a choice WATERSIDE RESIDENCE.
CARDS TO INSPECT FROM THE AUCTIONEERS.

MOSMAN, OURIMBAH-ROAD,
2 minutes from tram, commanding Charming Views of Middle Harbour.—4 Splendid BUILDING SITES, each 46 x 120; Torrens Title. Lots 2, 3, 4, 5, sec. 2, ROSEBERRY ESTATE.

HUGH DUFF and CO. have received instructions to sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, at THEIR SALEROOMS, 283 GEORGE-STREET, on THURSDAY, 2nd MAY, at 11.30 a.m.

PROPERTIES FOR AUCTION SALE.

ANNANDALE.—By order of the Executor in the Estate of the late E. A. KINDRED, Esq.,
Lot 1. No. 43 Annandale-street.—Brick HOUSE, 6 rooms, kit., bathroom, pantry, and laundry.
Lot 2. No. 45.—Rusticated W.B. COTTAGE, 4 rooms, kit., pantry, bathroom, washhouse, and all conveniences. Let at 13s per week. Stabling at rear of above, let at 5s per week. Land, 33 x 175. Torrens.
The above Property is recommended for investment, the position being the best in this esteemed suburb.

HURSTVILLE, Dora-street.—Vacant Land, 33 x 132; Gloucester-road, 33 x 132; and 2 Allotments 66 x 132 the two; also 4 Allotments, in The Avenue, each 33 x 132. For imperative sale, as the vendor is anxious to realise. Will sell one or more lots.

SURRY HILLS, Nos. 34 and 36 Prospect-street, off Dowling-street, Moore Park.—2 Semi-detached Brick HOUSES, each 4 rooms and kitchen, with all conv. Rentals, 19s weekly. Torrens. This is a sterling investment, and will be sold at a low figure.

ERNEST C. V. BROUGHTON will offer the above, in the Rooms, The Stock Exchange, 113 Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, 9th May, 1907, at 11.30 a.m.

THURSDAY, 25th APRIL, 1907,
at 3 o'clock.
At Craig's Royal Hotel, Ballarat.

in the ESTATE of the late Mr. ROBERT ORR.

A HIGHLY SOUND INVESTMENT,
and one of the most desirable
CITY PROPERTIES IN THE STATE.

CRAIG'S ROYAL HOTEL, BALLARAT.

A World-wide-known Holstery.

A. M. GREENFIELD and CO., and DOEPEL and CHANDLER, conjointly, under instructions from the Executors of the late Mr. Robert Orr, will submit to public competition, as above.
CRAIG'S ROYAL HOTEL, BALLARAT.

UNDER REGAL AND VICE-REGAL PATRONAGE.

Built on portions of Allotments 3, 4, and 5, in the town and parish of Ballarat, and having a frontage to Lydiard-street of 120ft or thereabouts, and to Bath's-lane of nearly 200ft.

The hotel itself is built of brick, on massive bluestone foundations, with a noble elevation of three stories, with tower and full balcony front. There is, in addition to a commodious underground cellar, on the ground floor, spacious entrance hall, large commercial room, two parlours, six sample-rooms, reading-room, two private parlours, two offices, billiard-room, (with two tables), laundry, and commodious outoffices.

The second floor contains two commodious dining-rooms, ladies' drawing-room, three private sitting-rooms, 19 bedrooms, and six bedrooms and dining-room for the staff; and bathrooms, kitchen, larder, scullery, lavatory, etc.

The third floor is represented by 40 bedrooms, three bathrooms, and linen rooms, etc.

There are, in addition to the hotel proper, nine offices, and the stables attached to, and known as extensively as the hotel itself as "Craig's Stables." The stables comprise 40 stalls, including 12 loose boxes, hay lofts, washing stage, footbaths, carriage repository, harness and lamp rooms, etc. These are all held by the present landlord of the hotel, Mr. S. Seward, who sublets them. The lease over the property, which produces £1200 a year, matures on the 1st June next.

CRAIG'S HOTEL is the oldest established hotel in this city, is known all over the world, and attracts travellers from all parts who are visiting in Australia. It has a splendid connection locally among the country residents, who regard "Craig's" as a home, and from its central position in the city, with all the legal, mining, stock agents', and banking offices surrounding it, the position is unique, making an enormous bar trade, which it possesses.

This property is for absolute sale, the executors having to wind up the estate in compliance with the will.

Title certificate, which can be inspected at Messrs. Bailey and Coldham, solicitors, Lydiard-street, and any further information may be obtained from the auctioneers,
DOEPEL and CHANDLER,
Lydiard-street, Ballarat; or
A. M. GREENFIELD and CO.,
Market-square, Ballarat.

WOOLLAHRA FREEHOLD.
Adjoining the
POST AND TELEGRAPH OFFICE.

BLOCK OF LAND, having 79 feet frontage to the South side of QUEEN-STREET, and 20 feet to JAMES-STREET, depth through on one side, 137 feet, the other side line being 25 feet. On it are Nos. 93, 95, and 97 Queen-street, two small Cottages and a Shop.
*** A valuable position for business premises, being next the Post Office, and opposite Ackland's Hotel.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 10th MAY, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above FREEHOLD at Woollahra. Plan on view. (3096)

RICHARDSON AND WRENCH, LTD.,

AUCTIONEERS AND VALUATORS.
SALES EFFECTED BY AUCTION OR PRIVATELY.

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embracing all classes of
RESIDENCE AND BUSINESS.
Strict, Competent Supervision of all Renovations and Repairs.

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VALUATIONS MADE FOR MORTGAGE, PROBATE, SELLING, AND OTHER PURPOSES.
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BEAUTIFUL SITES OF LIBERAL FRONTAGE AND DEPTHS.

FACING
WENTWORTH-ROAD, FITZWILLIAM-ROAD, NEW SOUTH HEAD-ROAD, HOPETOUN-AVENUE, VAUCLUSE-ROAD, CLAIRVAUX-ROAD.

TORRENS TITLE.
TERMS: 15 per cent. deposit, 10 per cent. in 6 months, without interest, balance 7 yearly payments at 4 per centum per annum.
LITHOGRAPHS OBTAINABLE.

AUCTION SALE ON THE GROUND, 3 P.M.
AT TRAM STOP, NEW SOUTH HEAD-ROAD and HOPETOUN-AVENUE.
near Mr. E. GRAY'S SUPERIOR RESIDENCE.

From here most fascinating views are obtainable of harbour and environs, with a glimpse of the ocean, indeed unless one stood on the land they could not imagine the beauty of the varied wide panorama enjoyed by these lots; other situations to be offered at same time enjoy excellent outlook, and all are worthy of inspection and consideration.

TO-DAY.

RICHARDSON AND WRENCH LTD.

TO SQUATTERS, MEAT COMPANIES, AND SPECULATORS.
1704 ACRES.

6 miles from Richmond and Windsor, with frontages to Blacktown and Penrith roads, the former next to the Crown large Common. Water is on Estate by creek and dam, and further ample provision could be made. A chance for Squatters as a depot; or handled could be cut up into dairy blocks. Estate could not previously have been sold, as it was held under Will; known as Bowman's Londonderry Estate. Plan on view at either Auctioneer's.
AUCTION SALE, FRIDAY, 3rd MAY,
at our Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, Sydney, at 11.30,
in conjunction with C. S. GUEST, Richmond.
RICHARDSON AND WRENCH, LTD. (3086)

TAYLOR-STREET, SURRY HILLS,
close to Oxford and Flinders streets.
HOUSE, No. 5 Taylor-street, of brick, cemented, having verandah and balcony, and containing 4 rooms and kitchen. Rental, 12s 6d per week. LAND, 12ft, with depth of 80 to 72 feet, and entrance from Chisholm-street. Rough sketch at office.
AUCTION SALE, FRIDAY, 3rd MAY,
at our Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, at 11.30.
RICHARDSON AND WRENCH, LTD.
C. H. COOKE, Esq., 64 Pitt-street, is Solicitor. (3091)

NORTH ANNANDALE.

BLOCK OF BUILDING LAND, 40ft frontage to south side of ROSE-STREET (20ft from TRAFALGAR-STREET), depth 110ft back to lane, stone foundations of two Cottages are set.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 3rd May, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above good Building Land, handy to Balmain tram, at foot of Trafalgar-street. (3088)

HAYFIELD, HOMEBUSH.

ATTRACTIVE well-situated RESIDENCE, on the Heights, corner of Meredith-street and Coventry-road, LAND area being 2 ACRES 2 ROODS 20 PERCHES.
At present tenanted by J. G. Tait, Esq., B.A.; Lease to expire 1st July next.
It is substantially built of brick, painted, slate roof, and contains verandahs, balconies, 7 rooms, bathroom, pantries, servants' rooms, kitchen, laundry, detached building of wood that serves for billiard or other room, excellent stabling of brick.
The SITE is superior, surroundings high-class, and Grounds could be made variedly effective in display.
By order of
THE PERPETUAL TRUSTEE COMPANY (Limited),
Agents for Owner.
AUCTION SALE, FRIDAY, 3rd MAY,
at our Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, at 11.30 a.m.
RICHARDSON AND WRENCH, LTD. (3059)

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

INGLEBURN.
Portion 335, 336, 337, Campbellfield Estate, 20ac. 1rd 25per., on which stands "PAUNTLY," a W.B. Cottage, contg. 4 rms., kitchen, servant's room, dairy, sheds, stables, coachhouse, cow bail, piggery, poultry yards, underground tank, dam; about 8 acres of the land has been fenced into 4 sections, and form paddocks, garden, etc. ALSO, "SILVESTER COTTAGE," built of W.B., containing 4 rooms and a large detached kitchen, various sheds, underground tank, 2 iron tanks, piggery, and poultry yards; balance of land (12ac 1rd 25per) has been fenced and divided into 4 paddocks.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH (in conjunction with JAMES G. EDWARDS and CO.), have been instructed by the Mortgagee to sell the above Property by Auction, at their Rooms,
FRIDAY, MAY 3rd, at 11.30 a.m.
A. S. BOULTON, 14 Moore-street, city, Mortgagee's Solicitor.

NEUTRAL BAY.

CHOICE POSITION, COMMANDING HARBOUR VIEWS.
"HOLLOWFORTH," a well-designed, substantial, and comfortable RESIDENCE, with One ACRE Ten and a Quarter Perches of LAND, fronting KARRABA-ROAD, only 3 minutes' walk from Karraba Wharf, and same distance from tram at Wycombe-road.
It is faithfully built of brick and stone, has porch entrance, wide entrance hall, 3 reception rooms, 5 bedrooms, 2 servants' rooms, 2 bathrooms, kitchen, pantry, scullery, and laundry, hot water service to bath and bedrooms, man's room.
The Grounds are nicely laid out into lawns, fruit, flower, and vegetable gardens.
*** This Property has deep water frontage to Shell Cove, with right-of-way thereto.
TITLE LEASEHOLD, about 51 years to run, FREE OF GROUND RENT.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., in conjunction with MARSHALL and DEMPSTER, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 3rd MAY, at 11.30 a.m.,
"Hollowforth," Neutral Bay, a compact and comfortable Home. CARDS TO VIEW obtainable from Auctioneers. (3080)

RANDWICK,
close to the Centennial Park and Trams.
TWO Semi-detached HOUSES (one known as "Bradley"), fronting EARL-STREET. They are built of brick (tuckpointed fronts) on brick foundations, have verandah and balcony in front, and balcony at side, and contain each hall, 6 rooms, bathroom, pantry, kitchen, and washhouse; detached stable and loose boxes. Land 43ft x 143ft back to a lane at the rear. Torrens Title.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 3rd MAY, at 11 o'clock,
The above Property, Earl-street, Randwick. (3085)

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.
CROYDON.
SHOP and DWELLING, No. 25 HOLBOROW-STREET, off Liverpool-road, built of brick, front cemented and painted, gables painted, on stone foundation, awning and balcony, and containing 5 apartments, kitchen, and washshed, large shed for horse and cart, gas, sewer, city water. The Land has 29ft 9in frontage with a depth of 108½ft.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., in conjunction with WALKER BROS., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 3rd MAY, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above, in a wide street, and surrounded by a large population.
Messrs. MINTER, SIMPSON, and CO. are Solicitors of the Mortgagee. (3084)

BOTANY-ROAD, BOTANY.
TWO Double-fronted Brick-built COTTAGES, in BAY-STREET, fronts cemented, slate roofs, each 4 rooms and kitchen; and a W.B. COTTAGE at the rear, containing 4 rooms. Rental, £57 10s per annum. The LAND, about ONE ACRE, has 100ft frontage by the great depth of 400ft. TORRENS TITLE.
*** This Freehold is close to the Town Hall, and at end to 2d tram section.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 3rd May, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above, in a good letting position, at Botany. (3089)

CLARENCE-STREET, CITY.
a Valuable Commercial POSITION, Very Central, next to the new Extensive Warehouse of Edwards, Dunlop, and Co., and among other large Business Wholesale Houses,
between KING and ERSKINE STREETS.
A Chance rarely offering now to buy a SITE for use or investment.
LAND has 35½ FEET frontage CLARENCE-STREET (west side), depth from 77ft to 78ft, a part of our city yearly developing into greater activities and value.
AUCTION SALE, FRIDAY, 3rd MAY,
at our Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, at 11.30,
in conjunction with H. F. HALLORAN and CO.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd.
A. S. BOULTON, Solicitor, Moore-street, acts for the Estate.

OWNER LEAVING THE STATE.
1. GLEBE POINT, Ferry-road and Avon-street.
SHOP, 5 HOUSES, 2 COTTAGES, constantly tenanted, rentals £221 8s per an. LAND, about 105ft frontage, depth 167ft, good sizes, to Let. Torrens Title.
2. RANDWICK,
corner Dutruc and Rea streets.
SEVEN COTTAGES, of brick, renting at £3 6s weekly. Title Leasehold, St. Marks, about 74 years yet to run at £30 3s 6d per annum.
AUCTION SALE, FRIDAY, 10th MAY,
at our Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, at 11.30.
RICHARDSON AND WRENCH, LTD. (3090)

MOSMAN.
COTTAGE, called ELSTON, in PRINCE-STREET, off Cowles-road, between Belmont and Military roads. LAND 40 feet by 132 feet. TORRENS TITLE.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 10th MAY, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above small Cottage at Mosman, suitable for anyone requiring accommodation for horse and trap. Full particulars in future advertisement; in meantime, the KEY is obtainable at "Myagah" (Mr. Cowley), in Belmont-street, near property for sale. (3082)

IMPORTANT INVESTMENT PROPERTIES.
SURRY HILLS.
By order of the Trustees of the Estate late Hon. GEORGE HILL, M.L.C.

1. ALBION-STREET, corner of BOURKE-STREET, THREE two-story Houses, Nos. 197 to 201 Albion-street. They are built of brick, on stone foundations, have verandahs in front, two contain each hall, 5 rooms, bathroom, man's-room, kitchen, and washhouse, and one contains hall, 6 rooms, bathroom, man's-room, kitchen, and washhouse. Land 108ft x 80ft. RENTAL, £187 4s PER ANNUM.

2. ALBION-STREET, adjoining the ABOVE.
TWO COTTAGES, Nos. 203 and 205 Albion-street. They are built of brick, on stone foundation, have verandahs in front, one contains hall, 7 rooms, bathroom, storeroom, detached kitchen, with room over; the other contains hall, 6 rooms, bathroom, servant's-room, kitchen, and washhouse. Land 67ft 6in x 80ft. RENTAL, £101 8s PER ANNUM.

3. BOURKE-STREET, close to FITZROY-STREET.—THREE two-story HOUSES, Nos. 398 to 402 Bourke-street. They are built of brick, on stone foundations, have verandah and balcony in front, and contain each hall, 7 rooms, bathroom, kitchen, and washhouse. Land 66ft 6in x 84ft back to a lane. RENTAL £179 8s PER ANNUM.

4. BOURKE-STREET, adjoining the ABOVE.—FIVE two-story HOUSES, Nos. 404 to 412 Bourke-street. They are built of brick, on stone foundation, have verandahs and balconies in front, and contain each hall, 5 rooms, bathroom, kitchen, and washhouse. Land 94ft 8in x 84ft back to a lane. RENTAL £202 16s PER ANNUM.

5. BOURKE-STREET, corner of FITZROY-STREET.—A SHOP and DWELLING, No. 414 Bourke-street. It is built of brick, on stone foundation, with awning front and side, and containing shop, 6 rooms, detached kitchen, stables, sheds of wood. Land 39ft, with a considerable width at rear. RENTAL £104 PER ANNUM.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 10th MAY, at 11.30 o'clock,
THE ABOVE-DESCRIBED PROPERTIES are situated in the HIGHEST PART of SURRY HILLS, and the Sale affords an opportunity to TRUSTEES, CAPITALISTS, INVESTORS, and OTHERS to acquire sound INVESTMENT PROPERTIES within a short distance only of the CENTRE OF THE CITY.
INSPECTION INVITED.

HARBOUR FRONTAGE.

A most charming situation, commanding an extensive and varied range of enchanting scenery over a large part of our glorious harbour, the Botanical Gardens, city and environs—a panoramic effect of water and land peeps—a few minutes from city, by pleasant quick steamboats.
KURRABA WHARF, NEUTRAL BAY.
Yachtsmen and Boatmen should consider the Purchase.
Suitable for a delightful Home Site.
Leasehold, 50 years yet to run, at small ground rental of [illegible] per annum.
LAND, 105ft THRUPP'S POINT-ROAD,
171½ft FRONTAGE SYDNEY HARBOUR,
with varied good depth lines, which are prolonged by the reclamation, rights of which have been granted, thereby giving a greater depth of water at frontage, which should become of great value to ferry companies.
AUCTION SALE, FRIDAY, 10th MAY,
at our Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, at 11.30.
In conjunction with RAINE and HORNE.
RICHARDSON AND WRENCH, LTD. (3070)

BY ORDER OF THE ADMINISTRATRIX OF THE ESTATE LATE Mr. GEORGE HAKIN.

LOT 1.—SURRY HILLS.
Brick Built HOUSE, No. 17 EAST-STREET, between BRISBANE and CAMPBELL STREETS. Land, 20 feet frontage by a depth of 70 feet back to a lane. Rent, 14s 6d per week.

LOT 2.—WAVERLEY, Sydney side of Bondi Junction.
Weatherboard COTTAGE, No. 14 EBLEY-STREET, erected on land having 40 feet frontage, with a depth of 160 feet. TITLE TORRENS.
*** Close to tram at corner of Oxford and Denison streets.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction at the Rooms on FRIDAY, 10th MAY, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above, full particulars of which will appear in future advertisement.
A. V. HILLIARD, Esq., is Solicitor of the Estate. (3097)

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1. HORNSBY-MOUNT ERRINGTON.
Practically a country air, with Suburban transit facilities, 600 feet elevation, 50 miles from G.P.O.
FIRST-CLASS RESIDENCE, "Wainui," with 3 acres land, beautifully laid out. It is of brick, slate roof, wide hall, 10 rooms, and all outoffices, verandahs all round (one glassed in), water and gas, perfect drainage, stable and coachhouse, fowl yards. Ought to be inspected.
2. HORNSBY.—2 Allotments, each 50 feet x 200, being lots 25, 26, 28, New Station Estate, fronting Ashley-street, 5 minutes from station. Torrens.
3. MERRYLANDS.—Lots 14 and 41, Sec. A, Campbell Hill Estate, each 40 x 247 feet, near Pitt-road Public School.
4. ST. MARYS.—Balance of Glen View Estate, 10 minutes from town, 20 mins. from station, in all 206 Allotments, totalling 18 acres 2r 10p; also Lots 127, 128, 129 Southborough Estate, of 21 acres 2r 32p. Torrens.
5. BALMAIN.—Land, Mortagne-street, nearly opp. Post Office, 20 feet x 76 feet, also Allot. at rear, 20 feet Little Darling-street x 60 feet and right of way.
6. BALMAIN.—3 Cottages, viz., No. 20 Evans-street, Nos. 1 and 3 Carrington-street; also Evans and Carrington streets (95 feet x 18 feet), with Cottage, No. 2, thereon. Title leasehold, 80 years yet to run, at ground rental of £25 12s 6d per an.
7. BONDI.—Queenscliff Estate, Lots 1 and 2, Sec. 10, 80 feet frontage Ramsgate-avenue, 80 feet Brighton Boulevard, 128½ feet Bay-street.
8. RIVERSTONE.—Lots 36, 37, 38, Sect. 32.
AUCTION SALE, FRIDAY, 10th MAY,
AT OUR ROOMS, 98 PITT-STREET, at 11.30.
RICHARDSON AND WRENCH, LTD. (3100)

BY ORDER OF THE TRUSTEES ESTATE LATE THOMAS MACINDOE.

PETERSHAM.
1. A detached COTTAGE, known as "Rubina," fronting MARIA-STREET, between Canterbury-road and Morgan-street. Land 30ft 3½in x 100ft.
2. A detached COTTAGE, known as Vera, fronting MARIA-STRETT, close to the above. Land 30 feet x 100 feet. Torrens title.
Messrs. PIGOTT and STINSON, 28 Castlereagh-street, Solicitors to the Estate.
AUCTION SALE AT THE ROOMS, PITT-STREET, on FRIDAY, 10th MAY, at 11 o'clock.
RICHARDSON AND WRENCH, LTD. (3093)

LYNDHURST FREEHOLD, GLEBE.
A small COTTAGE, No. 47 DARLING-STREET, close to the Main Bridge-road. Land 16ft 9in x 85ft, extending back to a lane. RENTAL, £26 PER ANNUM.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 10th MAY, at 11 o'clock,
The above Cottage at the Glebe. (3093)

HOTEL, NEAR OXFORD-STREET,
LIVERPOOL AND YURONG STREETS.
LIVERPOOL HOTEL, of brick, fronts cemented and painted, on stone, slate roof, balcony, cellar, bar, 11 rooms, 2 attics, bathroom, kitchen, washshed; also HOUSE, No. 27, of brick, six apartments; also HOUSE, No. 17 Charlotte-lane, at rear, 4 rooms, and kitchen. Total Rental, £286 12s per annum.
LAND is 35 feet 11 inches, LIVERPOOL-STREET, depth 80 feet YURONG-STREET, back to Charlotte-lane.
AUCTION SALE, FRIDAY, 17th MAY,
at our Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, at 11.30.
RICHARDSON AND WRENCH, LTD. (3094)

BY ORDER OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE ESTATE LATE Mr. W. M. WOODFORD.

NEWTOWN, Within 2d tram Section.
TWO Semi-detached HOUSES, Nos. 64 and 66 MARIAN-STREET, off Enmore-road, built on land having — feet frontage with a depth of — feet. RENTAL, £52 per annum. Torrens Title.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 10th MAY, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above. Full particulars in future issue. (3098)

MOSMAN LANDS.
FOR POSITIVE or Bona-fide Sale,
21 ALLOTMENTS,
fronting
MIDDLE HEAD-ROAD, BEACONSFIELD-STREET,
GORDON-STREET.
LITHOGRAPH will be prepared for issue.
Also, 1 ALLOTMENT, Brady Estate.
AUCTION Sale on date to be named.
In conjunction with P. LEAHY, Mosman.
Full particulars again.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd. (3099)

KENSINGTON,

AT THE EASTERN GATES OF THE CITY.

NEW SUBDIVISION
AUCTION SALE,
SATURDAY, MAY 25,

AT 3 ON THE GROUND.

Inquiries for the new subdivision having become so persistent, the opinion "That an Auction Sale is desirable at which buyers might put their own price on the land offered," has been so freely expressed, that the vendors of this magnificent building land have decided to submit the allotments to public competition.

WATCH KENSINGTON GROW.

Nestling against the city's boundary, on a tuppenny tram section, approached via undulating parks, through beautiful tree-lined avenues, two minutes only from La Perouse, Long Bay, and Kensington Trams, 10 minutes from Coogee Tram, surrounded by beautiful homes, this portion of Kensington is destined to become one of Sydney's most popular suburbs.

WATCH KENSINGTON GROW.

The new subdivision, adjoining Kensington Golf Links, includes some of the very finest building land at Kensington. Gently sloping are some, perfectly level are others, of the allotments, with an easterly aspect, and the land we sell at your price on SATURDAY, MAY 25, will, almost before you have taken possession of it, increase in value, even as the first subdivision has done.

STREETS BALLASTED AND METALLED, KERBED, AND GUTTERED.
FOOTPATHS. GAS. WATER.

TORRENS TITLE. BUILDING RESTRICTION OF £300.
SAME EASY TERMS AS LAST SUBDIVISION.

KENSINGTON,

AT THE EASTERN GATES OF THE CITY.
New Subdivision Auction Sale, SAT., May 25, at 3 on the Ground.

ARTHUR RICKARD & CO., LTD.,

84B PITT-STREET, AUCTIONEERS AND REALTY SPECIALISTS.

CHATSWOOD SOUTH,

AT THE CORNER OF LONGUEVILLE-ROAD AND GORDON-ROAD,
the proposed stopping-place of the APPROVED EXTENSION of the Gore Hill Tram, and within a few minutes of the Artarmon Station.

FIFTY (50) LARGE ALLOTMENTS, overlooking the HARBOUR, PARRAMATTA, and LANE COVE RIVERS, HUNTER'S HILL, DRUMMOYNE, and the WESTERN SUBURBS. FIRST-CLASS SOIL, eminently suitable for the erection on it of RESIDENCES. CITY WATER AND GAS ON THE ESTATE. TORRENS TITLE.

TERMS: Ten per cent. Deposit, fifteen per cent. in six months, without interest, and the balance in 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5 years, with interest at five per cent. per annum.

FOR SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION, ON THE GROUND,

TO-DAY, SATURDAY, 27TH APRIL,

AT 3 P.M.

RAINE AND HORNE, AUCTIONEERS.

A SPECIAL 'BUS will convey intending Investors on the day of sale to the Ground, leaving the Gore Hill Tram Terminus at 2.30 p.m., connecting with the 2 o'clock steamer from Circular Quay. (627)

RAINE AND HORNE
86 PITT-STREET.
AUCTIONEERS,
LAND AND ESTATE AGENTS,
ATTORNEYS UNDER POWER,
AND VALUATORS.

SALES OF CITY AND COUNTRY PROPERTIES EFFECTED
BY PUBLIC AUCTION AND BY PRIVATE TREATY.

VALUATIONS FOR PROBATE AND OTHER PURPOSES.
SUPERVISION AND MANAGEMENT OF ESTATES UNDERTAKEN.
RENTS COLLECTED.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

PITTWATER.

THAT MAGNIFICENT PROPERTY,
Known as
THE OAKS, IN MONA VALE
with extensive frontages to
DARLEY-STREET, PITTWATER-ROAD,
BASSETT-STREET, and the PACIFIC OCEAN,
and comprising an area of about
114 ACRES.

The Buildings have been SPECIALLY CONSTRUCTED for the purpose of a CLUB and INDEPENDENT RESIDENTIAL COTTAGES.

An area of about 40 ACRES is laid out as SPORTS GROUND, with a view to providing for GOLF, POLO, CRICKET, FOOTBALL, and General Sports, included in which is a 6-FURLONG RACECOURSE.
The Property is DELIGHTFULLY SITUATED on the shores of the PACIFIC OCEAN, WITH A LARGE FRONTAGE TO THE BEACH, within easy distance of Manly.
OVERLOOKING THE SPORTS GROUND IS A CLUB HOUSE, built of brick, on concrete foundations, mansard roof, containing main entrance hall, billiard-room, ladies' lounge, smoking-room, 25 bedrooms, 6 bathrooms, etc., and attached on the eastern side is a large Dining Hall.
Provision has been made for portion of the roof to be used as a promenade, THE VIEW FROM WHICH IS SUPERB.
Ample provision has also been made for Kitchens, servants' quarters, etc.
Adjoining the Club House is a STUDIO AND MUSIC ROOM, built of brick, with large lead light windows and wood-panelled ceilings. A large Fernery adjoins this building.
A short distance from the CLUB HOUSE is an octagonal building, constructed of brick and wood, the upper portion of which contains a BALLROOM (42ft x 42ft), with a SPECIALLY-CONSTRUCTED FLOOR, and under are the stables, arranged on up-to-date principles.
In the Grounds are THREE COTTAGES, also two others in course of construction, and on the far side of the Sports Ground is a 6-roomed Cottage built of wood, tiled roof.
A Slope in front of the CLUB HOUSE and Cottages is tastefully laid-out with ornamental shrubs, lawns, etc., and
A NATURAL FRESHWATER LAKE
ENHANCES THE BEAUTY OF THE SITUATION, AND AT THE SAME TIME IS OF CONSIDERABLE UTILITY FOR PROVIDING
A PERMANENT WATER SUPPLY.

THE WHOLE PROPERTY IS UNIQUE,

so far as this State is concerned, and has been constructed with a view to providing CITY AND COUNTRY VISITORS with the COMFORTS AND LUXURIES OF THE CITY, whilst enjoying the delightful recreations to be obtained from
A MARINE COUNTRY HOME.
WITH ITS BEAUTIFUL POSITION AND EASY ACCESSIBILITY, THIS PROPERTY MUST PROVE A LUCRATIVE INVESTMENT TO ANY PURCHASER.

TITLE TORRENS. (628)

RAINE AND HORNE have been instructed to sell the above by PUBLIC AUCTION, in the Rooms, 86 Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, 9th MAY, at 11.30 a.m.

CITY INVESTMENTS.

NOS. 88 and 90 COOPER-STREET, SURRY HILLS, quite close to ELIZABETH-STREET and RAILWAY STATION, and in the centre of a good letting locality.
TWO HOUSES, built of brick, fronts cemented and painted, on stone foundations, balconies in front, and each containing hall, 5 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, etc.
The Land has a frontage of about 30ft 5in to COOPER-STREET.
THESE HOUSES ARE ALWAYS WELL LET, the present tenants having been in occupation for some years. RENTS, £87 12s 6d per annum.
RAINE and HORNE will sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, in the Rooms, 86 PITT-STREET, on THURSDAY, 9th MAY, at 11.30 a.m. (632)

TO MANUFACTURERS, FERRY BOAT PROPRIETORS, and SPECULATORS.

M'MAHON'S POINT,
NORTH SYDNEY,
adjoining the SYDNEY FERRIES' WHARF, with DIRECT ACCESS TO BLUE'S POINT-ROAD, and with frontages to EAST CRESCENT-ROAD.
THAT MAGNIFICENT ABSOLUTE WATER FRONTAGE BLOCK,
known as
M'MAHON'S POINT,
containing 622ft frontage to the DEEP WATERS OF THE HARBOUR, and comprising an area of about 2 ACRES 9 PERCHES,
THE DIRECT ACCESS TO
BLUE'S POINT-ROAD
brings the property into close touch with the PROPOSED NEW TRAM TO BLUE'S POINT.
THE RECLAMATION WORK ON THE WATER FRONTAGE HAS BEEN EFFECTED IN A SUBSTANTIAL MANNER, WITH BOATHOUSE and BATHING ENCLOSURE.
Upon the Property is a STONE-BUILT RESIDENCE of seven rooms, kitchen, etc. with grounds surrounding the house nicely laid out, and planted with choice shrubs.
TORRENS TITLE.
This Estate is situated OPPOSITE DAWES POINT, and within a few minutes of the GENERAL POST OFFICE.

RAINE and HORNE have been instructed to sell the above,
WATER FRONTAGE AREA
by PUBLIC AUCTION, in the Rooms, 86 Pitt-street, on
THURSDAY, 9th MAY, at 11.30 a.m. (625)

NEWTOWN.
At the CORNER of KING-STREET and BUCKNELL-STREET, near Missenden-road,
SHOP INVESTMENT PROPERTY,
comprising three Shops with Dwellings,
NOS. 128, 130, and 132 KING-STREET,
and three residences,
NOS. 2, 4, and 6 YARALLA-STREET,
at rear.
No. 128 KING-STREET contains shop, with room at rear, No. 130 contains shop, 4 rooms, and kitchen, and No. 132, shop, 6 rooms, and kitchen.
The YARALLA-STREET HOUSES are well built of Brick, Cemented, and Painted, verandahs and balconies in front, and each contains 5 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, and washhouse.
A LARGE SUM OF MONEY HAS RECENTLY BEEN SPENT ON THIS PROPERTY, AND IT IS NOW IN EXCELLENT ORDER.
THE LAND has frontages of about 58ft to KING-STREET, and about 50ft 6in to YARALLA-STREET, and in the centre is a 16ft lane, providing a back entrance to each block.
TOTAL RENTS, £286 per annum. TORRENS TITLE.
The above property is recommended to TRUSTEES and OTHERS in search of
A FIRST-CLASS INVESTMENT,
situated in a neighbourhood in which there is every prospect of an early INCREASE IN VALUES.
RAINE and HORNE will sell by PUBLIC AUCTION in the Rooms, 86 Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, 9th MAY, 1907, at 11.30 a.m.
Vendor's Solicitors: Messrs. ICETON and FAITHFULL. (630)

BY ORDER of THE CURATOR OF INTESTATE ESTATES, in the Estate of JAMES RIELLY, Deceased.
CAMPERDOWN.
1. NO. 8 SMITH-STREET,
a Detached Weatherboard Cottage, verandah in front, containing 2 rooms and kitchen, with stables at rear.
LAND, 23ft to SMITH-STREET x 131ft.
TORRENS TITLE.
2. NOS. 39 and 41 DOWLING-STREET,
standing on land having a frontage of about 104ft to DOWLING-STREET, CAMPERDOWN. No. 39 is a Weatherboard Cottage, containing 2 rooms and kitchen, and No. 41 is a Brick Dwelling, containing 4 rooms, kitchen, and attic.
The above properties are situated close to the Parramatta-road, in the CENTRE OF A THICKLY-POPULATED NEIGHBOURHOOD.
RAINE and HORNE will sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, in the Rooms, 86 Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, 9th MAY, at 11.30 a.m. (633)

BY ORDER OF
THE PERPETUAL TRUSTEE COMPANY, LTD.,
TRUSTEES IN THE ESTATE OF THE LATE JAMES WEIR.
CITY INVESTMENT PROPERTIES.
1.—No. 71 WILLIAM-STREET, close to Riley-street, built of brick, on stone foundation, and containing Shop, 7 rooms, kitchen, cellar, and large room built over the yard, used by Professor Read as Dancing Academy. The LAND has a frontage of about 22ft to WILLIAM-STREET, by a depth of about 90ft through to YURONG-LANE, at the rear.
Rent £120 per annum. TORRENS TITLE.
2.—Nos. 80 AND 82 RILEY-STREET, built of brick, verandahs and balconies in front, and each containing 3 rooms and kitchen.
RENT, £46 16s p.a. TORRENS TITLE.
RAINE AND HORNE have been instructed to sell the above by PUBLIC AUCTION, in the Rooms, 86 Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, 9th MAY, at 11.30 a.m. (634)

HUNTER'S HILL.

CUNEO'S PADDOCK SUBDIVISION,

RIGHT AT THE HUNTER'S HILL WHARF, PARRAMATTA RIVER, AND COMPRISING
SOME OF THE BEST AVAILABLE WATER FRONTAGE BLOCKS IN HUNTER'S HILL.

THE WATER FRONTAGES to the PARRAMATTA RIVER are ABSOLUTE, with RECLAMATION RIGHTS.
The Property adjoins the Residence of the Hon. Mr. Justice Owen, and is SURROUNDED BY SOME OF THE BEST RESIDENTIAL PROPERTIES IN HUNTER'S HILL.
CHARMING VIEWS can be obtained from almost every Allotment on the Estate.
THE SOIL IS EXCELLENT FOR GARDEN PURPOSES, and the land is level, SLOPING GENTLY down to the WATERS OF THE PARRAMATTA RIVER.
A right-of-way has been acquired, leading to Wharf-road, which brings the MOST DISTANT BLOCK in the Subdivision WITHIN THREE MINUTES' walk of the HUNTER'S HILL WHARF.
TORRENS TITLE.
TERMS.—Ten per cent. deposit, and the Balance by 12 equal Quarterly instalments.
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HAVE BEEN INSTRUCTED TO SELL THE ABOVE
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BY PUBLIC AUCTION, ON THE GROUND,

NEXT SATURDAY, MAY 4, 1907,

AT 3 P.M.
Vendor's Solicitor: W. A. WINDEYER, ESQ., 78 PITT-STREET.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

ASHFIELD,
in ELIZABETH-STREET, quite close to the Station,
FAITHFULLY-BUILT FAMILY RESIDENCE,
"GLADSTONE HOUSE,"
of brick, cemented and painted, on stone foundation, slate and iron roof, verandah and balcony front and rear, and containing hall, 5 rooms, bathroom, and kitchen, with detached washing-shed.
THE LAND has a frontage of about 80 feet 9 inches to ELIZABETH-STREET by a depth of about 210 feet. TORRENS TITLE.

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Vendor's Solicitor, H. C. ELLISON RICH, Esq. (631)

LEICHHARDT.
In FLOOD-STREET, about two minutes from LEWISHAM STATION, and pleasantly situated.
A DETACHED COTTAGE, known as
"WAINFLEET,"
containing hall, 4 rooms, kitchen, laundry, and large sheds. Land, 20ft x 140ft, to 20ft lane at rear.
TORRENS TITLE.
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PROPERTIES FOR AUCTION SALE, at the Rooms,
564 DARLING-STREET, BALMAIN,
SATURDAY AFTERNOON NEXT, MAY 4, at 3.15.

LEICHHARDT, No. 86 Carrington-street.—W.B. COTTAGE, iron roof, and containing 4 rooms, with brick kitchen, pantry, and washhouse, etc., land 30 x 98. Freehold Title.
BALMAIN, Hamilton-street.—Lornadoon, superior W.B. COTTAGE RESIDENCE, iron roof, and containing hall, 4 rooms, kitchen, laundry, and all modern conveniences. Land, 32 x 110. Torrens Title.
BALMAIN, Mort-street, between Darling-street and Curtis-road.—Splendid Building Block of Land, 50 x 117, Torrens. Will be sold in either one or two blocks.
BALMAIN, Dock-road, Nos. 8, 10, 12 Hamilton-terrace.—Three Superior Brick RESIDENCES, each contain 6 rooms and all modern conveniences. The property is in first-class order. Rents, £117. Freehold.
BALMAIN, Dock-road, Nos. 14, 16.—Two Brick HOUSES, each contain 5 rooms and kitchen, all modern conveniences, always let. Rents, £63. Freehold.
BALMAIN, Hoffman-street.—Comfortable W.B. COTTAGE, plastered, and containing 3 rooms, kitchen, washhouse, gas, water, and sewerage. Freehold.
BALMAIN, M'Kenzie-street, No. 40.—COTTAGE, built of W.B., on stone foundation, iron roof, containing 4 rooms, kitchen, laundry, bath, gas, water, and sewerage. Land, 30 x 86. Freehold.
BALMAIN, Beattie-street, No. 18, near Unity Hall Hotel.—Shop and Dwelling, part brick and part wood, containing shop and 4 living rooms, kitchen, etc. Land has 30ft frontage to Beattie-street, by a depth of 115ft to Palmer-street at rear, Freehold. This property is situate in the main business centre of Beattie-street, and is for Positive Sale, by order of the Mortgagees.
MINTO, First-avenue.—Allotment, No. 4, Sec. 3, containing 2 roods; also, Second-avenue, Block of Land, containing 2 roods, and being Lot 10, Sec. 10. Mortgagee's Sale.
RIVERSTONE.—Block of LAND, having frontages to Park-road and Loftus-street, and containing 3 roods 8 perches, and comprising Lots 1 to 4, and 20 to 22. Mortgagee's Sale.
BALMAIN, Evans-street, No. 206.—Detached Stone COTTAGE, slate and iron roof, containing hall, 3 rooms, kitchen, and all modern conveniences. Land, 20 x 80 to a street at the rear. Freehold Title.
LEICHHARDT, Rofe-street, No. 91.—Brick HOUSE, iron roof, and containing 5 rooms and usual outoffices, large yard, land 20 x 90. Torrens.

GEORGE CLUBB, AUCTIONEER,
564 Darling-street, Balmain.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION,
AT THE ROOMS, 92 PITT-STREET,
WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON, MAY 8,
AT 3 O'CLOCK,
BY HENRY F. HALLORAN AND CO.,

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3. WAVERLEY.—"Mada," corner Victoria and Henrietta streets, modern D.F. Brick Cottage, stone foundation, slate roof, 6ft hall, 7 large rooms, kit., etc., land 50 x 120 ft. Torrens.
4. BRIGHTON-LE-SANDS.—Lots 59 and 60, sec. 1, Borough Park Estate, each 50ft frontage to Quarter Sessions-road, by depth of 160ft. Near tram and beach. Torrens Title. Easy terms.

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The SALE of SHARES forfeited for the non-payment of the 28th Call of twopence per share, due and payable 13th March, 1907, and other Calls, advertised to be held on Monday, 22nd April, 1907, has been POSTPONED, and will be held definitely on MONDAY, 29th April, 1907, at 12.30 p.m., in the Vestibule, Stock Exchange, Melbourne.
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ESTATE C. GOARD.
THE OFFICIAL ASSIGNEE'S RIGHT, TITLE, and INTEREST (if any) in and to Lots 18 and 19 of Section 1 of Edwards' Estate, Willoughby, having a frontage of 80ft to Julian-street, by a depth of about 165ft.

C. F. W. LLOYD, in conjunction with Raine and Horne, will sell the above, in the Rooms, 86 Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, 9th May, at 11.30.

MYALL LAKES.
ESTATE WILLIAM HUDSON, Deceased,
and
ESTATE ROBERT HUDSON.
BY ORDER OF THE OFFICIAL ASSIGNEE and HENRY HUDSON, Esq.,
2 VALUABLE BLOCKS OF LAND, in area [illegible] acres and 530 acres, situate Parish of [illegible], County Gloucester, with frontage to the MYALL LAKES.

C. F. W. LLOYD, in conjunction with RAINE and HORNE, will sell the above on
THURSDAY, MAY 9,
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PRODUCE AND PROVISIONS.

MALT VINEGAR, Silver Medal and [illegible] at St. Louis World's Fair. [illegible]

FUNERALS.

ARDILLE.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. ARTHUR JONES are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved SISTER, Phyllis Rosemount Ardille; to move from their residence, No. 4 Derby-st, Camperdown, THIS (SATURDAY) AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, for Waverley Cemetery. F. W. HARTLEY, Undertakers, 208 King-st, Newtown, and Railway Parade, Kogarah.

CALF.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. FREDERICK CHARLES CALF are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their dearly beloved infant SON, Robert Edward; to leave their residence, 110 St. James'-road, Waverley, THIS DAY, at 2.45, for the Church of England Cemetery, Waverley.
C. FIELD and SON, Undertakers,
Tel., 55 Red. 58 Botany-road, Alexandria.

CUNNINGHAM.—The Funeral of the late THERESA (TESSIE) CUNNINGHAM will leave C. Kinsela's Funeral Parlour, 61 Oxford-street, Paddington, THIS (Saturday) MORNING, at 8.30, for South Head Cemetery.
CHARLES KINSELA,
Funeral Director,
116 Oxford-st, and Queen's-cross, D'hurst. Tel., 23 E.

DICKISON.—The Relatives and Friends of the late Mr. BENJAMIN CHARLES DICKISON are kindly invited to attend his Funeral; to move from his late residence, No. 13 Broughton-street, North Sydney, THIS SATURDAY AFTERNOON, at 12.45, for the Necropolis, via Mortuary station.
WOOD and COMPANY, Funeral Directors,
Tel. 726. Sydney, North Sydney, and suburbs.

FITZGERALD.—The Friends of Mr. PATRICK T. FITZGERALD are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his late dearly loved WIFE; to leave his residence, 227 Underwood-street, Paddington, THIS (Saturday) AFTERNOON, at 3 o'clock, for Waverley Cemetery.
COFFILL and COMPANY,
Central Office, 735 George-street So.

FITZGERALD.—The Funeral of Mr. and Mrs. T. PEARCE are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their late dearly loved MOTHER, Mary Marie Fitzgerald; to leave 227 Underwood-street, Paddington, THIS AFTERNOON, at 3 o'clock, for Waverley Cemetery. COFFILL and COMPANY.

FITZGERALD.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. M. FITZGERALD are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their late dearly loved MOTHER; to leave 227 Underwood-street, Paddington, THIS AFTERNOON, at 3 o'clock, for Waverley Cemetery.
COFFILL and COMPANY.

FITZGERALD.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. P. GONDOLF are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their late dearly loved MOTHER, Mary Marie Fitzgerald; to leave 227 Underwood-street, Paddington, THIS AFTERNOON, at 3 o'clock, for Waverley Cemetery. COFFILL and COMPANY.

FITZGERALD.—The Friends of Messrs. JAMES and WILLIAM and Miss ELIZABETH FITZGERALD are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their late dearly loved MOTHER; to leave 227 Underwood-street, Paddington, THIS AFTERNOON, at 3 o'clock, for Waverley Cemetery.
COFFILL and COMPANY,
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GRAY.—The Funeral of the Rev. JAMES GRAY will leave Sydney Railway Station TO-MORROW (Sunday) NIGHT, at 8.50, for Taralga Church, Goulburn, on MONDAY.
CHARLES KINSELA, Funeral Director,
'Phone No. 8, Waverley. Bondi Junction.

HORNER.—The Friends of Mr. HENRY HORNER are kindly invited to attend Funeral of his late beloved WIFE, Annie Belinda Horner (late Mrs. Wm. Rottenbury); to move from his residence, Fanning-street, Tempe, THIS AFTERNOON, at ½-past 1 o'clock, for C. of E. Cemetery, Rookwood, via Newtown.
CHAS. KINSELA, Undertaker, Rockdale,
T., 993 and 6 Kog. op. Stn., 765 George-st, city.

JOHNSTONE.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. ERNEST S. JOHNSTONE, of Railway-parade, Granville, are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their beloved DAUGHTER, Evelyn; to leave the Parramatta District Hospital, THIS SATURDAY, at 10.30 a.m., for Long Bay Cemetery. R. METCALFE, Undertaker.

MAGEE.—The Friends of Mr. TERENCE MAGEE are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved WIFE, Ellen, which will move from his residence, Cambridge-street, Willoughby, THIS (Saturday) AFTERNOON, at 2.15, for Gore Hill Cemetery. By request, no flowers.
WOOD and COMPANY,
Tel., 726, etc. Funeral Directors, Sydney, Suburbs.

MIDGLEY.—The Relatives and Friends of Mr. and Mrs. JOSEPH MIDGLEY, late of Auburn, are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late dearly loved SON, Jack, which will move from their residence, Wardell-road, Marrickville, THIS (Saturday) AFTERNOON, at 1.45 o'clock, for Independent Cemetery, Necropolis, via Lewisham Station.
WOOD and COMPANY.

THE Friends of MAY, EVELINE, and ELSIE VENN, also WAL. M'CORMACK and ROSS BROWN are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late dearly beloved MOTHER and MOTHER-IN-LAW, Annie Pryse; to leave her late residence, Railway Hotel, George-street, Windsor, THIS (Saturday) MORNING, at 7.15, arriving Sydney 8.45, thence to Waverley Cemetery. J. W. CHANDLER, Undertaker, Windsor.

PRYSE.—The Friends of Mr. JAMES PRYSE are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved WIFE, Annie; to leave his residence, Railway Hotel, Windsor, at 7.15 THIS (Saturday) MORNING, arriving Sydney railway station at 8.45, thence to Waverley Cemetery.
J. W. CHANDLER,
Undertaker, Windsor.

SOUTHALL.—The Funeral of the late Mrs. H. J. SOUTHALL will leave her late residence, Calvert-street, Marrickville, THIS DAY, April 27, at 1.30 p.m., for Rookwood Cemetery.

WARREN.—The Friends of Mr. WILLIAM G. WARREN are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his late dearly loved WIFE; to leave his residence, 4 Phillip-street, Glebe, THIS AFTERNOON, at 1.30, for the Necropolis.
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WEBSTER.—The Friends of Mrs. JANE WEBSTER are kindly invited to attend her Funeral; to leave Thaxted, Darley-road, Manly, THIS (SATURDAY) AFTERNOON, at ½ to 1, and Manly Wharf, Circular Quay at ½ to 2, for Waverley Cemetery.
T. WAUGH and CO., Undertakers, Manly. Tel., 48.

WEBSTER.—The Friends of ALFRED, WILLIE, and ALICE WEBSTER are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their beloved MOTHER; to move from Thaxted, Darley-road, Manly, THIS (SATURDAY) AFTERNOON, at ½ to 1, and Manly Wharf, Circular Quay, at ½ to 2, for Waverley Cemetery.

WEBSTER.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. OGILVIE are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their beloved MOTHER; to move from Thaxted, Darley-road, Manly, THIS (SATURDAY) AFTERNOON, at ½ to 1, and Manly Wharf, Circular Quay, at ½ to 2, for Waverley Cemetery.

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FRENCH KID GLOVES, 3 and 4 buttons, 2s 6d, 2s 11d, 3s 6d, 3s 11d, 4s 6d, 5s 6d.
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RIBBED WOOL, White and Natural, Short Sleeves, 1s 1½d, 1s 3½d, 1s 4½d, 1s 6½d, 1s 9½d, 1s 11½d, 2s 3d, 2s 6d, 2s 9d.
RIBBED WOOL long sleeves, 1s 6½d, 1s 9½d, 1s 11½d, 2s 3d, 2s 9d, 3s 11d, 4s 11d.
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Pretty and Attractive Dinner Services need not be expensive. Wise selection among our moderate-priced ware will prove this.

In stock patterns, all colours—

26 pieces, 14s 11d, 17s 6d, 19s 6d.
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62 pieces, 30s, 45s, 63s, 80s.
66 pieces, 42s, 65s, 90s, 110s.

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50 pieces, 35s.
62 pieces, 42s.
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A full column would be insufficient space to give you all the particulars of our "Open Stock" Crockery, but if you have broken any piece of a valued or favourite set, you have more chance of finding a duplicate at

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Odd Jugs in great variety from 3d to 2s 6d each.

"Old Rockingham" Teapots, plain, but good, 5d, 6d, 7d, 8d, 9d each.

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Fancy Teapots, too numerous to describe separately, from 1s 0d to 10s 6d each.

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ALL PERFECT IN SHAPE, FINISH, and GARNITURE.

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In the MOST RECENT MODELS, all PERFECT SHAPES, and FOUR SIZES always IN STOCK.

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Heavy Rib Cashmerette Hose.
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Bargain Price, 16s 11d pair.
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When the thermometer drops in earnest you will want Furs in a hurry. Why not have them ready to put on instead of waiting for the crowd? The choice may be made now most satisfactorily, while the assortment is most complete.

We have a choice collection, imported from the best markets, and can show almost every style of Fur on the market. Our range is from 1/6 to £21. A pretty big difference; but there are FURS and FURS.

1/6.—Hare Neckiets, in Brown, Sable, and Marten. Although low in price the quality is right.
1/11.—Hare Necklets, better quality.
2/11.—Hare Necklets, better quality, with steel chain fasteners.
4/11.—Hare Collars, in same colours, fitted with tails; Satin lined, and finished in best style.
5/6.—Same, slightly better quality, fitted with heads and tails.
6/11.—Hare Collars, in same colours and in white, artistically arranged with tails.
7/11.—White Thibet Stoles, superior in style, and nicely fitted with tails.
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12/11.—Hare Necklets, in same colours, well finished with heads and tails and steel chain fasteners.
12/11.—Brown Marmot Stoles, all real skin. This price with surprise everybody. Fitted with tails. In same colours.
14/11.—Brown Marmot Stoles, fitted with tails and claws. In same colours.
14/11.—White Thibet Stoles, best lining, and fitted with chain fastener.
15/11.—White Thibet Collars, smart appearance, nicely fitted with chain fasteners. In Brown, Sable, and Marten.
17/11.—Hare Stoles, Brown, Sable, Marten, and White. A real smart Stole, nicely fitted with tails.
19/11.—Brown Marmot Stoles, superior selected skin, best linings, nicely fitted with tails and claws.
21/9.—White Thibet Stoles, nicely fitted with steel chain fastener.
22/3.—Stone Marten Foxaline Stoles. An extremely low quotation for a reliable article. Nicely fitted with tails.
25/9.—Brown Marmot Stoles, nicely fitted with tails, splendid quality.
25/9.—Brown Marmot Cravat, nicely fitted with tails.
27/6.—Brown Marmot Stole, made of selected skin, well finished with tails.
30/.—Natural Fox Stole Capes. The demand for this style is very large.
35/.—Light Marmot Cravats and Stoles. The Cravats are well lined and nicely finished with heads and tails.
37/6.—Natural Musquash Stole, satin lined, grand wear, nicely fitted with tails.
40/.—Light Marmot Cravats. An extremely low quotation for a reliable Fur. Nicely fitted with heads and tails.
45/.—Light Marmot Cravats, slightly better quality.
45/.—Jap. Mink Cravats, very popular Fur, nicely finished with heads and tails.
50/.—Bear Stoles, very smart appearance, nicely fitted with chain fastener.
50/.—White Fox Cravat, splendid wear, nicely fitted with heads and tails.
50/.—Celestial Fox Cravats, very superior skins, nicely fitted with head and tails.
55/.—Light Marmot Stole Capes, nicely finished with head and tails.
60/.—Bear Stoles, splendid article, nicely finished.
63/.—Stone Marten Stoles, superior quality, nicely finished with head and tails.
65/.—Celestial Fox Stoles, best lining, nicely fitted with heads and tails.
70/.—Smoked Fox Cravat, in smart style, nicely fitted with heads and tails.
80/.—Same, better quality.
80/.—White Fox Cravat, splendid article, head and tails, nicely finished, selected quality.
80/.—Dyed Skunk Stoles, nicely fitted and well lined.
100/.—Pointed Fox Cravats, a splendid bargain, nicely finished with heads and tails and best lining.
100/.—Fitch Collarette, most beautiful Fur, carefully made from selected skin, artistically finished with heads and claws.
110/.—Pointed Fox Cravats, slightly better quality than 100/.
125/.—Fitch Collarettes, most elaborate and superb, nicely fitted with heads and tails.
130/.—Black Fox and White Fox Stoles, splendid quality, lined satin, nicely finished with heads and tails.
140/.—Pointed Fox Cravats, better quality than the above at 110/.
150/.—Pointed Fox Cravats, better quality than the above.
180/.—Three-skin Stone Marten Stoles, nicely finished with tails and paws.
315/.—Handsome Stone Marten Cape, nicely fitted with Stole ends, tails, and paws.
420/.—Six-skin Stole Marten Cape, nicely fitted with tails and paws back and front, best satin lined, and finished in the very best style.

LADIES' BOOT AND SHOE DEPARTMENT.

We have bought another lot of SAMPLES in LADIES' BOOTS and SHOES, and these will be shown on the SAMPLE TABLES in the LADIES' BOOT DEPARTMENT TO-DAY, marked at SAMPLE PRICES, as usual.

5/11.—Ladies' Glace Kid 3-Bar and Fancy Duchess Shoes, thin soles, smart.
2/6.—Ladies' Satin Evg. Shoes, colours white, pink, blue. New goods.
10/6.—Ladies' Glace Tie Shoes, wide ribbon toes (the Gibson Shoe), stylish pattern, vamps. See them.
1/6.—Girls' White Buckskin Shoes, ankle strap and one bar, thin soles, hand sewn. Sizes 7, 8, 9, 10.

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3	3	0	.... A Difficult Passage.
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3	7	6	.... Found Out.
3	7	6	.... The Fates.
3	7	6	.... In Danger.
3	7	6	.... King of Hearts.
3	7	6	.... Lac-de-Laguno.
4	0	0	.... Glasses.
4	17	6	.... Francesca-de-Rimini.
4	17	6	.... Caterina Carnaro.
5	0	0	.... Meditation.
5	0	0	.... Flirt.
5	12	6	.... Symphonia.
5	15	0	.... Good-bye.
7	7	0	.... Boccacio.

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It has six bottles of sparkling cut-glass, with plated mounts, and their beauty is of the kind that cannot be described in cold type.

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You cannot afford to hesitate. You want a New Suit for the Winter, and now is the time to get it at LOWE'S, with the EXTRA PAIR OF TROUSERS presented FREE OF CHARGE.

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Men who took advantage of our previous offer of

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WITH EVERY SUIT

can tell you what sterling value the offer represents.

Here is a letter from one; and we have hundreds of others on our file:—

"I take this opportunity of thanking you for the very fine suit which I have received; also for the extra pair of trousers.

"I never had a better cut suit in my life; if there is one thing I like it is a good-fitting suit of clothes.

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Some people imagine that to give these trousers away free we take something out of the quality of the suit; but you don't for a moment think that we would adopt such a suicidal policy as that.

The average suit needs 3¼ yards of material, and, supposing we gave you a tweed worth 6d a yard less than the regular style—that means that we would save 1s 7½d on the cloth. We cannot possibly save on the linings, and as we pay full union rates for all labour, you can safely conclude that you get exactly the quality of article described. If you think you do not—well, of course, LOWE'S standing offer of your money back if you are not satisfied always holds good.

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This is a splendid SUIT for business wear—cut by our own cutters, and tailored in our own workshops. It is a Suit that you would pay from 50s to 55s for in most other places in the city, even without the extra pair of Trousers; and they represent a value of at least 12s 6d. The materials for these Two-Guinea Suits include the new green shades, with fashionable wide stripes and over checks, and all the latest designs.

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These are superb quality—hand-made by skilled journeymen tailors, with the finest of linings, and all fittings. We have an exceptional lot of materials to select from, including many single-suit lengths—in wool and silk mixtures, Bannockburn and Harris Tweeds; effective-looking worsted Suitings in the new blue ground, with coloured silk stripes and some specially nice styles in olive and myrtle green, soft-finished worsteds, with bold black and coloured stripes. If you want to be exclusively dressed in a suit that the "other fellow" is not likely to have, let us fit you out with one of these.

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NEW CONCAVE SHOULDERS
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Go into every Suit we make, no matter what price you pay.

They give a splendid finish to any man's appearance. The shoulders are not padded out with bulky wadding, but are built up by the skilful hands of a master craftsman. Those shoulders are there to stay, and retain their shape just as long as you wear the suit.

THIS OFFER OF
EXTRA TROUSERS FREE

is not going to last indefinitely, and you have got to make up your mind now—to take advantage of it.

Call in at our George or Oxford street Store for a lot of patterns, or, if you live in the country, write now for them.

We will send you Books of Patterns and our New Self-measurement chart, which is extremely simple in use. Don't put this off if you want the Extra Trousers free. Remember, that the minute that parcel of materials is used—No more Free Trousers.

We want you to try one of our SUITS, and will PAY the POSTAGE to your address. When you get the suit, try it on, and if not absolutely satisfactory in every way—send it right back, and we will refund your money. We mean this—every word of it.

LET US HAVE YOUR ORDER EARLY.

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READY-TO-WEAR COSTUMES, in Navy, Plum, Green, Grey, and Black, Eton Costumes, gored skirts, 21s 6d, 27s 6d, 42s 6d.
A Special Line of Tailor-made COSTUMES, in Navy Serge, Sac, semi-fitting and tight fitting, 21s, 25s 6d, 27s 6d.
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